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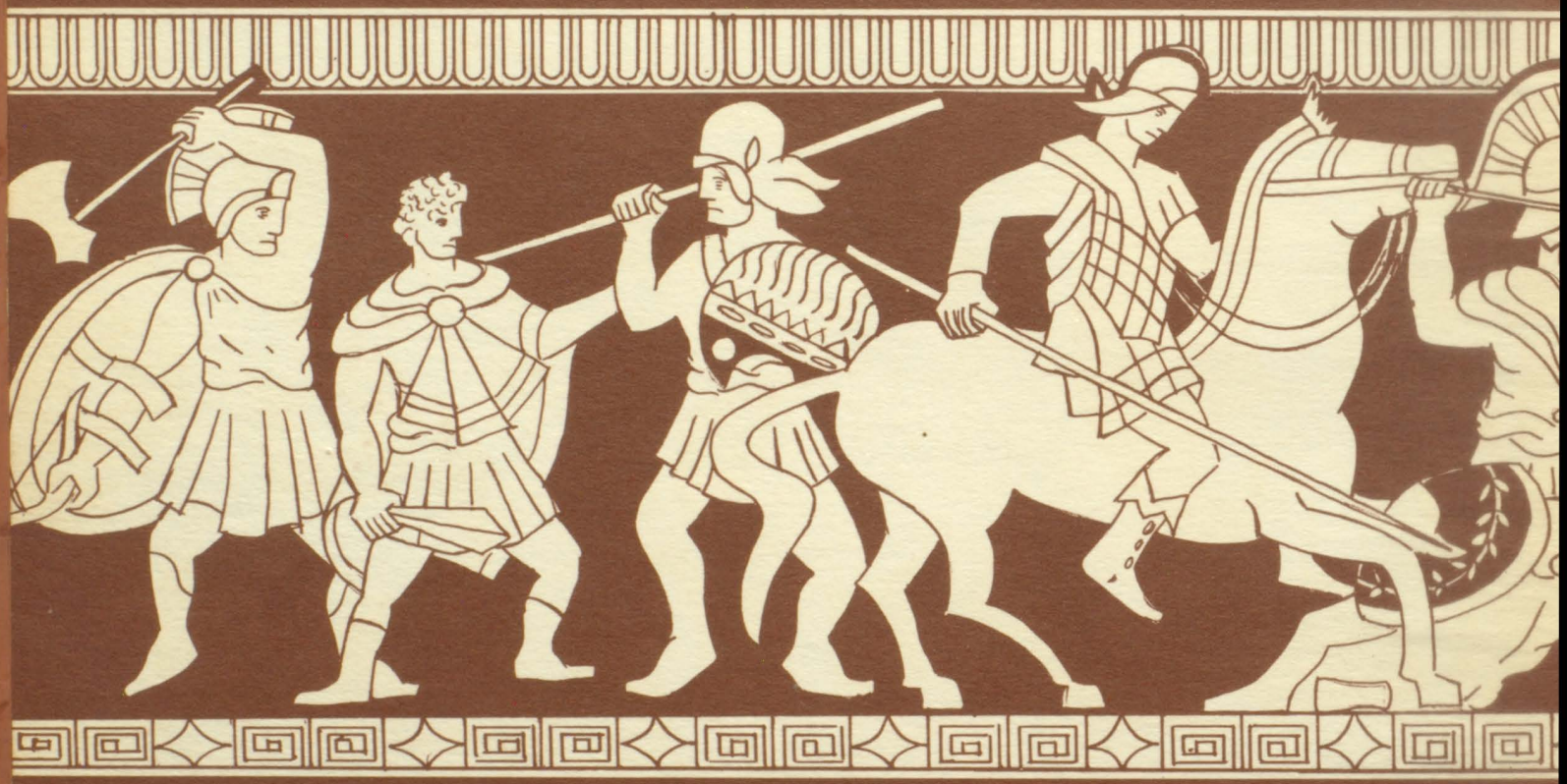

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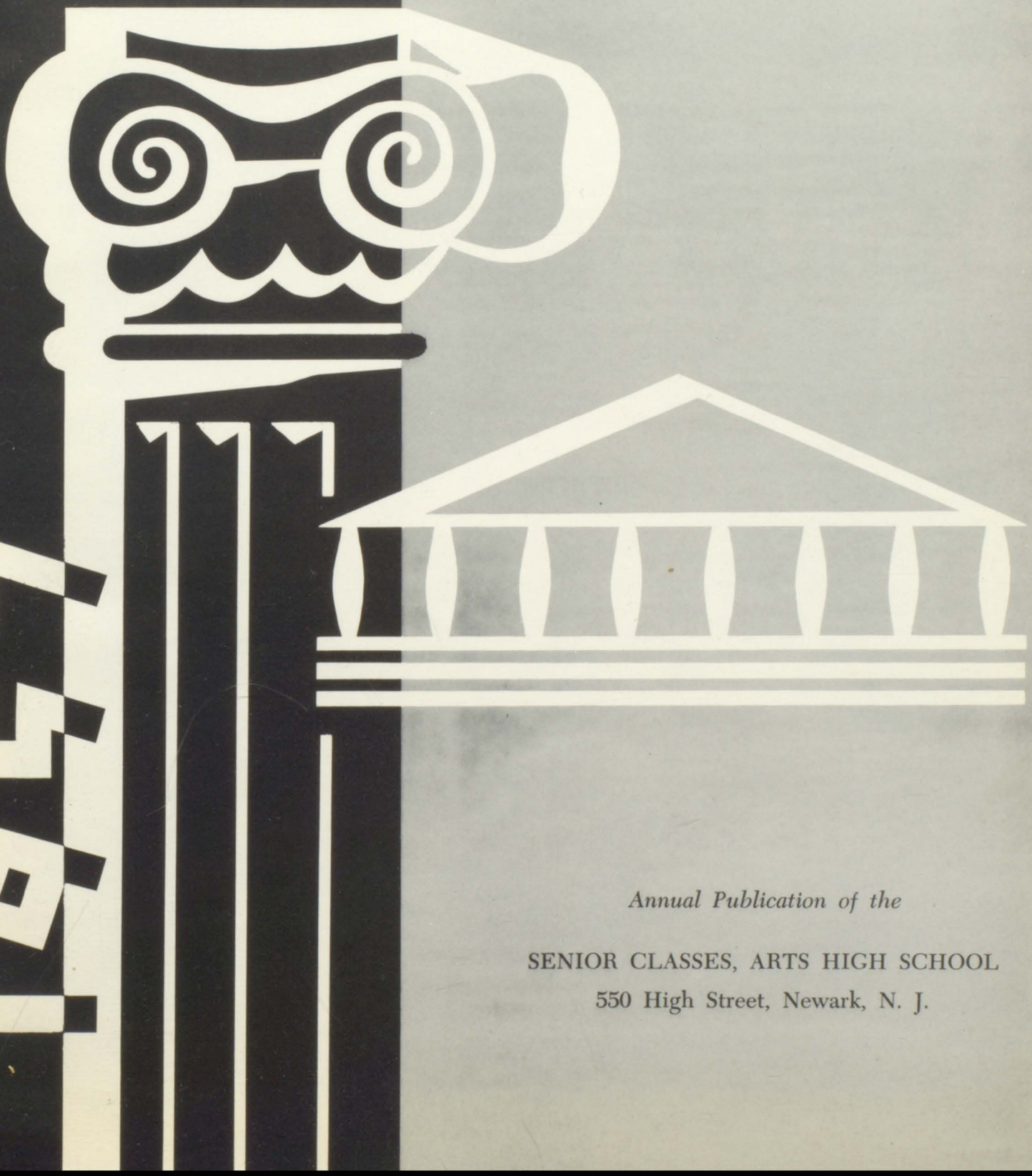

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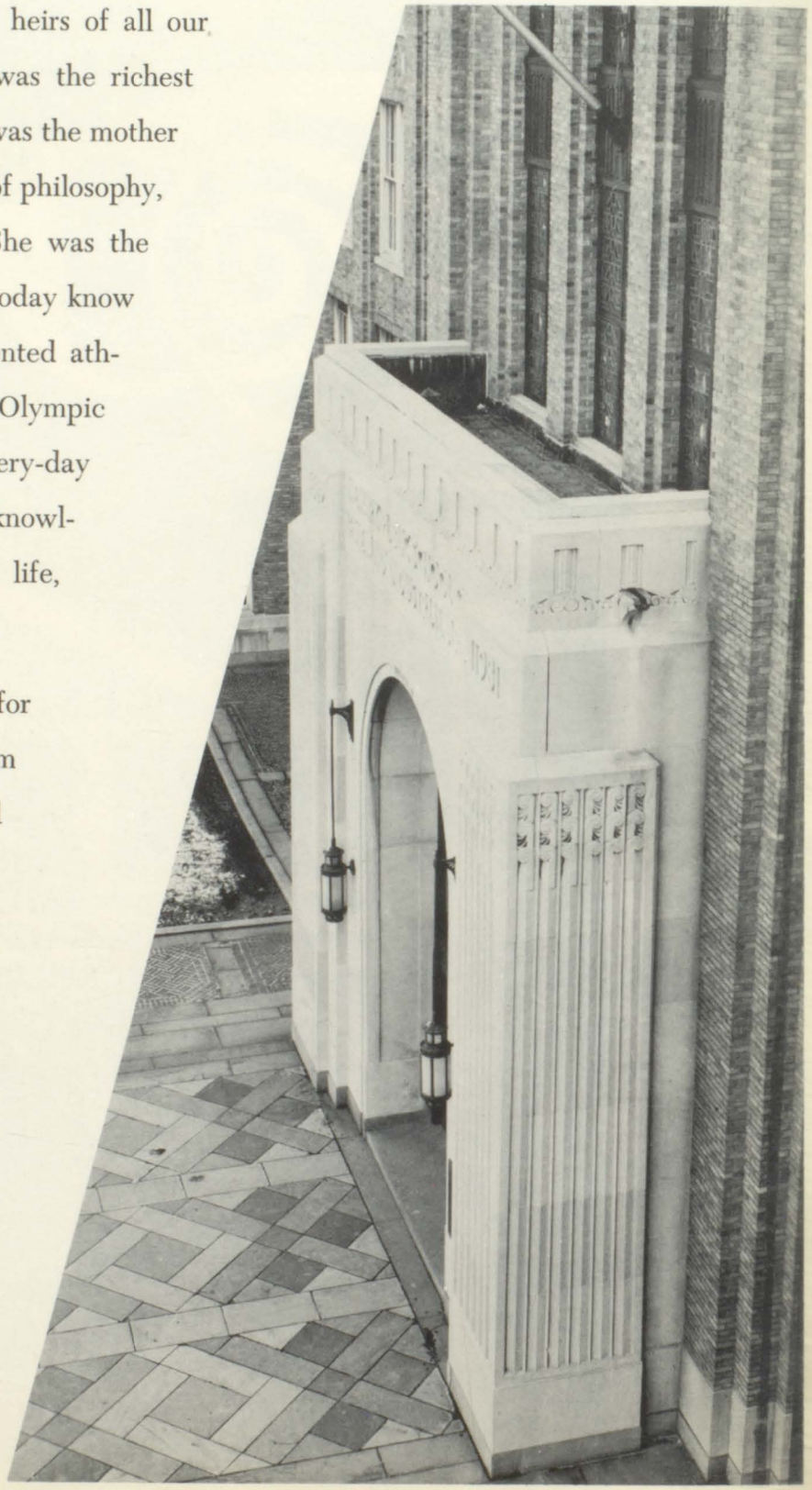
INTRODUCTION

IF IT IS TRUE that we are the heirs of all our yesterdays, then ancient Greece was the richest of our ancestral benefactors. She was the mother of science, of literature, of drama,-of philosophy, of mythology, and of the arts. She was the founder of democracy, which we today know for our richest treasure. She invented athletics which have evolved into our Olympic Games, and also our favorite every-day pastimes. She furthered man's knowledge of the soil, of the sea, of life, and of man himself.

In the Greek Era, man strove for the ideal by developing patriotism and courage, by searching for all types of beauty and knowledge, and by learning to appreciate both natural and man - made creations. This was the Greek way of life — this is our way of life.



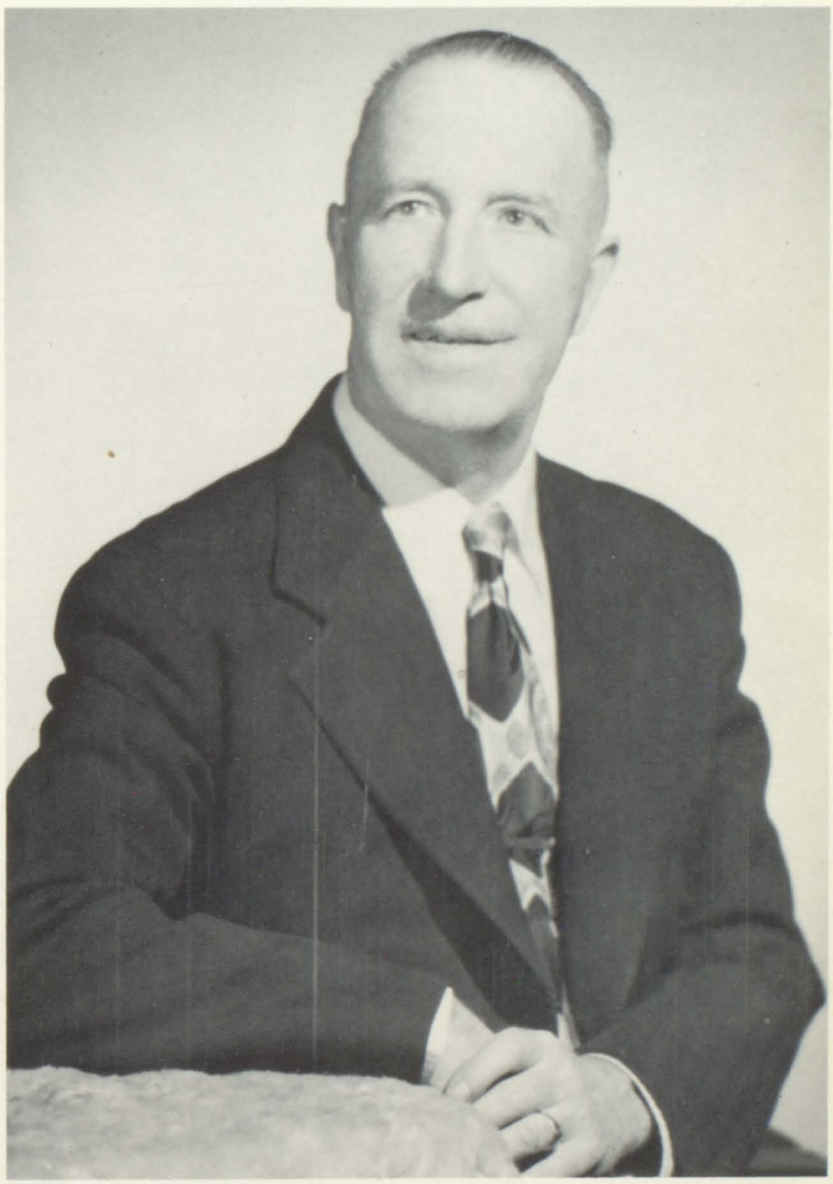
DEDICATION

Mr. Criswell was born in St. Joseph, Missouri, and as a boy spent many afternoons swimming and fishing in the Missouri River. Later, in Central High there, he became very interested in track; so interested that he exceled greatly in this sport. After graduating, when he decided to get more education, he found it wasn't easy; and only by barbering and doing odd jobs was he able to put himself part way through Missouri University. Here he was considering being a chemical engineer, but expenses became too great and he was forced to leave.

Later, at Arnold Normal School (now New Haven University), he made up his mind to become a physical education instructor. He feels gratefully indebted to Dr. Arnold, who influenced him in this choice.

At Rutgers Mr. Criswell earned his B.A. and M.Ed. Aside from physical education, he is also qualified to teach English, science, and biology! Nevertheless, "gym" is his first choice, and since Arts first opened its doors, he has remained with us as our gym teacher. Character, as well as physical fitness, are of major importance to him, and from his first day here, he has tried to develop these in his students. Each year the Criswell Award (named in his honor) is given to the best all-around athlete in the graduating senior class.

For all his years of fine and sincere work, we, the students of Arts, feel honored to dedicate our yearbook to him—small tribute though it be in comparison to what he has given us.



R. LENOX CRISWELL
B.A., M.Ed.

Physical Education

ADMINISTRATION

DR. FREDERICK C. SEAMSTER
B.A., M.A., Ph.D.

Principal

"Perfect wisdom hath four parts, viz.: wisdom, justice, fortitude, and temperance."—Plato. In this quotation we may see Dr. Seamster, the man who, during his ten years at Arts High, has been devoted to the cause of trying to help each student acquire wisdom. This interest does not suddenly cease when the 2:35 bell rings for dismissal; it is never-ending. We students at Arts have, under Dr. Seamster's guidance, an opportunity to obtain a type of wisdom which our text books alone can never give us, a type of wisdom that, of necessity, must come from a wise individual—from such a man as Dr. Seamster.

MRS. BEATRICE GELLER
B.A., M.A.

Vice-Principal

Socrates said that there was one only good, namely, knowledge; and one only evil, namely, ignorance. Mrs. Geller has tried to discourage the evil, ignorance, which is present in all groups of people. Knowledge which casts out ignorance is not merely a matter of knowing who our sixteenth President was or how to conjugate a Latin verb; it is the path to an understanding of justice, right, and human nature. Mrs. Geller has tried to instill in students not only knowledge of what is evil, but also a knowledge of what is good and right . . . the knowledge so vital in today's world.

Miss Fortunato, Dr. Seamster's secretary, looks over the shoulder of Miss Hayes, chief administrative clerk, who is reviewing high school transcripts for our seniors.

AROUND THE SCHOOL

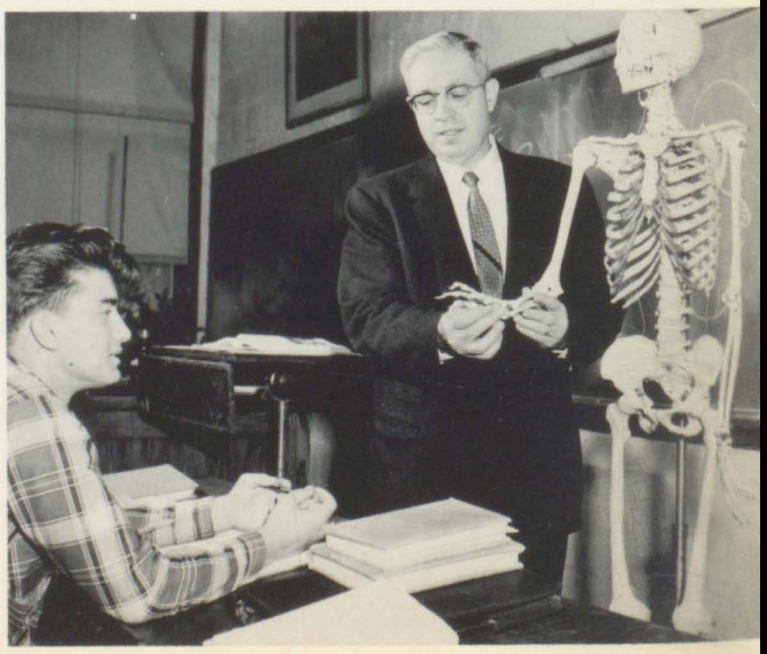
"Why don't you just get a clean sheet of paper and start from the beginning?" asks Miss Howe.

"Got it? If not, get it!" directs Mr. Clamurro.

A bird's eye view of Miss Lehlbach in action.

Mr. Pickett scowls at a prospective candidate for the art course.

"Shake hands with my friend," says Mr. Misurell, introducing a valuable member of the science staff.



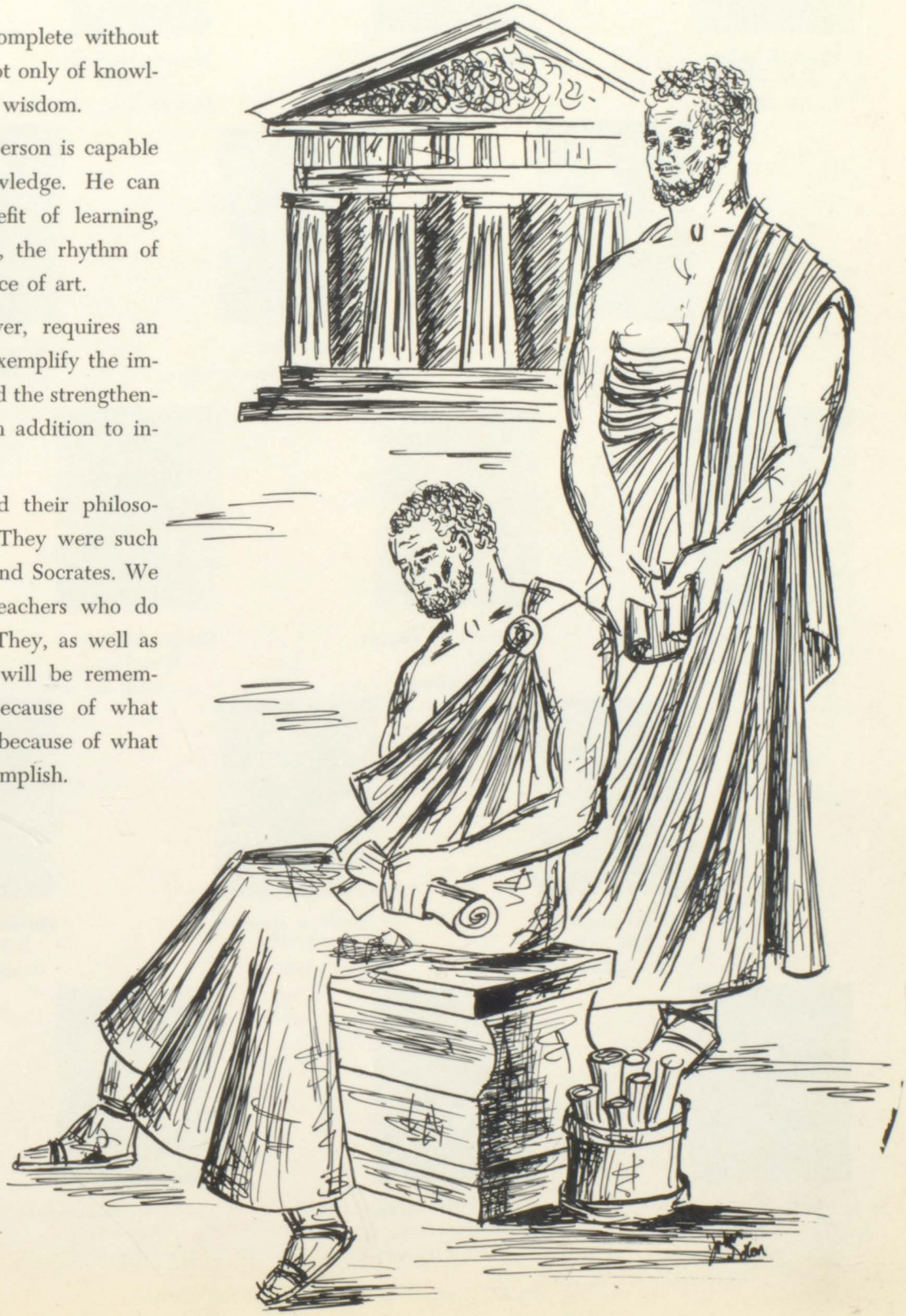
FACULTY

No culture is complete without the propagation not only of knowledge, but also of wisdom.

Any well-read person is capable of spreading knowledge. He can expound the benefit of learning, the beauty of life, the rhythm of music and the grace of art.

Wisdom, however, requires an expert. He must exemplify the importance of life and the strengthening of character in addition to intellectual power.

The Greeks had their philosophers to do this. They were such men as Aristotle and Socrates. We today have our teachers who do the same for us. They, as well as the philosophers, will be remembered not only because of what they do, but also because of what their students accomplish.



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Ruth G. Abos
B.A., M.A.
English

Philip C. Clamurro
B.A., M.A.
Mathematics

Margaret L. Cross
B.S.
Physical Education

Teresa S. David
B.A., M.A.
Spanish

Achilles M. D'Amico
B.S., M.A.
Music

Ann Fortunato
Secretary, Clerk-Stenographer

Thomas Gannon
B.A., M.A.
Industrial Art

Lucille B. Hiller
B.S.
Home Economics

Rosamond H. Hopper
B.S., M.A.
Art (Chm.)

Gladys K. Howard
B.S., M.A.
Art

Sarah E. Howe
B.S.
Art

David Janowitz
B.S., M.S.
English

M. Grace Johnston
B.S., M.A.
Art

Milton Kappstatter
B.S., M.B.A.
Business (Chm.)

Milton Knobler
B.S., M.A.
Art

Eileen Knipping
Chief Dietician

Seymour M. Landsman
B.S., M.A.
Art

Bette Lazar
B.S., M.A.
Business

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Anna T. Lehlbach
B.A.
Librarian

Gladys B. Longley
B.A., M.A.
Head Counselor

Ruth Meyerson
B.A.
Mathematics

Rocco Misurell
B.S., M.A.
Science (Chm.)

Lillian Anne Miller
ASCAP
Pianist

Roy Perry
B.S.
Science

Rocco Pesile
B.S.M., M.A.
Music

William L. Pickett
B.M., M.M.
Music

Joseph Reuter
B.A.
Latin

Rufus J. Rickenbacher
B.A., M.A.
English (Chm.)

Mary Rutledge
R.N., B.S.
Nurse

Allan J. Shapiro
B.A., M.A.
History

Gertrude P. Shapiro
B.S.
Music

Marjorie P. Sheldon
B.S., M.A.
Physical Therapist

Louis Spindler
B.S., M.A.
Art

George Steisel
B.A.
Mathematics

Catherine S. Sweeney
R.N., B.S.
Health Education

Ruth K. Walsh
B.A., B.S., M.A.
Art

Not Pictured: Gwendolyn G. Brady, B.S., *Physical Education*; Alma Hayes, *Teacher-Clerk*; Emily Kruck, B.A., M.A., *History*

THE MIKADO

"Why, I can trace my ancestry back to a protoplasmal primordial atomic globule," spouts Dennis Skolski to the amazed Anthony Marcantuono.

These fans certainly come in handy. It's hot under the lights.

"I'm here, where are the others?" questions Arthur Goetze.

"The Mikado", an operatic comedy by Gilbert and Sullivan, ran an unprecedented three evenings because of its great popularity. If Academy Awards were given for high school productions, the music, art, and sewing classes would certainly be among the recipients. All participants have gained a priceless experience from producing the operetta.

"Please, Mr. Pickett, don't be angry. We'll try again."

Jane Goode, Georgia Holland and Lillie Coleman inform the rapt audience that they are three little girls from school.

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Gwendolyn Sims proudly flaunts her "beautiful elbow."

"Oh dear, I can't remember what lines come next!!"

FRESHMAN ORIENTATION

The Freshman Orientation, which is sponsored each term by the Student Council, is of great assistance to the freshmen and to other newcomers to the school. The program consists of an assembly at which representatives of the various clubs and activities inform the students about the mechanics of their organizations. It is followed by dancing and refreshments for the newcomers and Student Council members in the girls' gym.

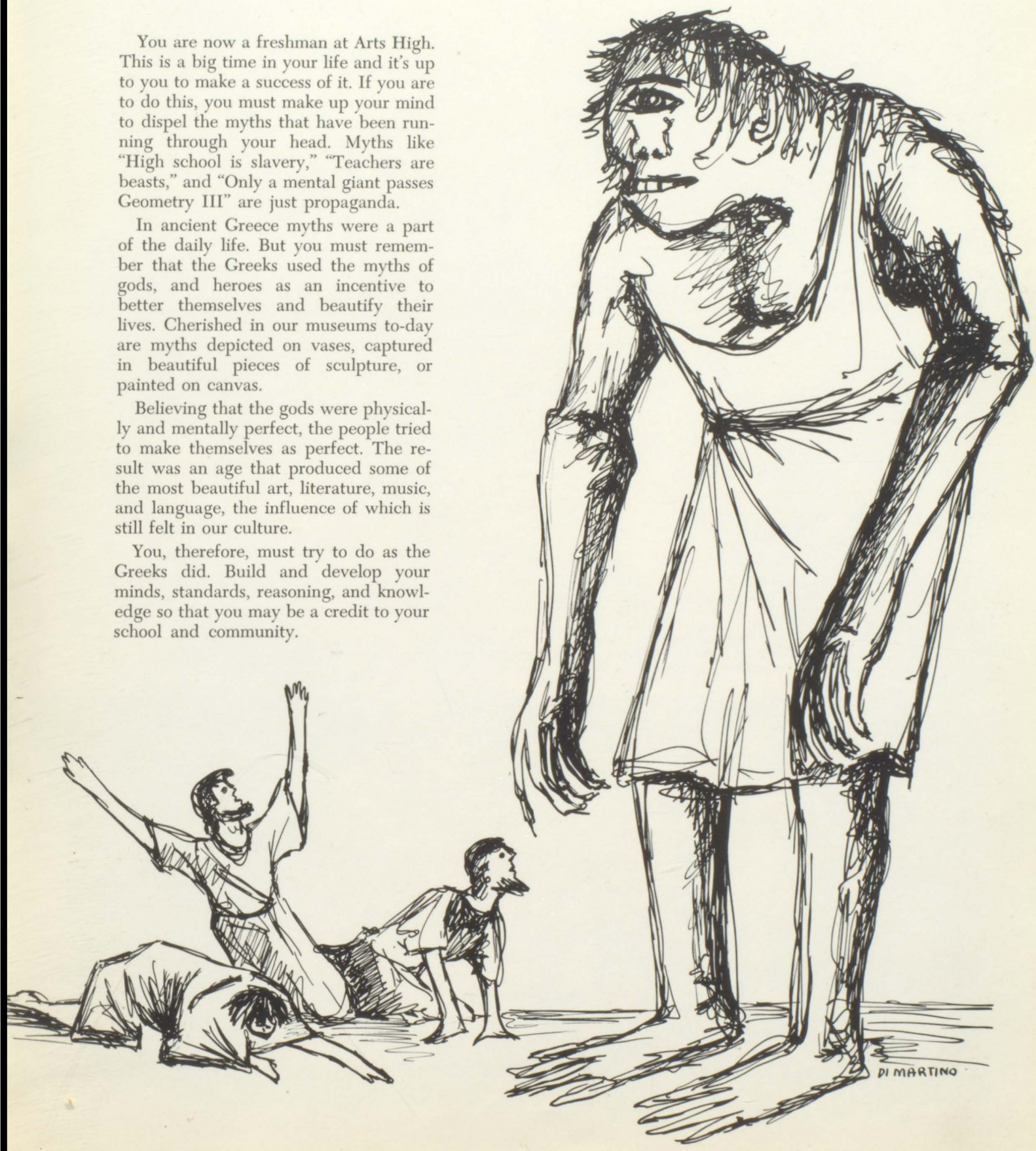
FRESHMEN

You are now a freshman at Arts High. This is a big time in your life and it's up to you to make a success of it. If you are to do this, you must make up your mind to dispel the myths that have been running through your head. Myths like "High school is slavery," "Teachers are beasts," and "Only a mental giant passes Geometry III" are just propaganda.

In ancient Greece myths were a part of the daily life. But you must remember that the Greeks used the myths of gods, and heroes as an incentive to better themselves and beautify their lives. Cherished in our museums to-day are myths depicted on vases, captured in beautiful pieces of sculpture, or painted on canvas.

Believing that the gods were physically and mentally perfect, the people tried to make themselves as perfect. The result was an age that produced some of the most beautiful art, literature, music, and language, the influence of which is still felt in our culture.

You, therefore, must try to do as the Greeks did. Build and develop your minds, standards, reasoning, and knowledge so that you may be a credit to your school and community.



CLASS OF JANUARY 1961

HOME ROOM 206 — *Miss Gladys Howard*

Front row, left to right: Dolores Evans, Kenneth Gregory, Natalie Miller, Bruce Hymack, Franklin Epps, Helen Chesek, Robert De Salvo, Andy Zawacki, John Scott, Saundra Rout. Middle row: Miss Howard, Frances Bono, Mary Elizabeth Lynch, Gliceria Nigro, Jay Staats, Phyllis Moretti, Paul Costanzo, Judy Felipe, Richard Cretice. Back row: Richard Kafaf, George Piegaro, Kenneth Lancin, John Benes, Robert Palazzo, Natalie Pugliese, Joanne Leone, Evelyn Buhl, Jewel Jenkins. Missing from the photograph are Diane Bartos and John Clark.

HOME ROOM 308 — *Mr. Allan Shapiro*

Front row, left to right: Richard Onque, Arthur Myers, Dennis Patricco, Otis Milton, Benjamin Dunn, Robert Cotugno, James Stalk, Joan Reed, Philip Rudko, Gwendolyn Meadows, Judy Cervenka. Middle row: Mr. Shapiro, Shirley Pollard, Russell Falström, Karen Eubanks, Allan Howard, Paulette Kane, Joseph Genese, Jean Bonavita, Ronald Parham, Patricia McWhirr. Back row: Fred Johnson, Judy Costabile, Joan Cianci, Carol Behler, Mildred Boutilier, Rosalie Culotta, Marguerite Aguilar, Lenward Jackson, Gus Manning. Missing from the photograph are Linda Green and Johanne Scriffiano.

HOME ROOM 213 *Mr. Milton Kappstatter*

Front row, left to right: Angela Mari, Dagmara Kubischke, Benjamin Grier, Monica Warnquist, Mary Ann Hood, Marylou Verzi, Leonard Gesualdo, Helen Siubis, Vincent Zannelli, Anthony Senatore. Middle row: Marion Deutsche, Betty Anne Knox, Richard Chambers, Lester Barnett, Delores Davis, Anna Feranec, Joseph Marullo, Patricia Karwacki, Arnold Nash, Carl Stallone, Wilene Carter. Back row: Jerome Sarapochiello, Carmine Bruno, Nicholas Hyczko, Lawrence Gould, Patrick Spino, William Thomas, Reginald Douglass, Michael McDowall, Edward Taylor, Donald Harris.

HOME ROOM 306 *Mr. Joseph Reuter*

Front row, left to right: Victor Scardilli, Adam Ziobro, Patricia Splendora, Judith Ghidella, Ronald Spall, Barbara Goznik, Sydney Kellegg. Middle row: Margaret Monahan, Patricia Macniski, Olga Tobie, Sandra Worsky, Charles Rodriguez, Pasquale Spano. Back row: Alice Korzenko, Mary Ann Metivier, Janice Brown, Preston Barham, Barbara Street, Peter Rose, Anthony Alfano, Alice Grohowski, Linda Garcia. Missing from the photograph are Charles Carrara, Patricia Viniks, John Ferriera, Irene Ciccone, Juanita Nottingham, Stanley Dziekowski.

HOME ROOM 310 *Miss Ruth Meyerson*

Front row, left to right: Leslie Rivkind, Elizabeth Squitieri, Byrna Jones, Elmira King, Joseph De John, Neil Travisano, George Lorenc, Henry Bethea, Donald Mazzella. Middle row: Miss Meyerson, Bertha Taylor, Marie Di Tommaso, Victor Huljack, Lilli Anne Yanow, Nadine Ailes, Judith Sagendorf, Wilhelmena Brown, Nancy Karpinski, Rosetta Martin. Back row: Charles Graham, William Bailey, Phyllis Ferrigno, Jeannette Viviani, Geraldine Kovach, Eugene Geldziler, Steven Sibilia, James Crooms, Guy Santora, Thomas Carson, Sylvia Cavaness.

HOME ROOM 318 *Miss Emily Kruck*

Front row, left to right: Sheldon Sauders, Robert Brennan, Edward Kucinski, Joseph Lanzara, Gregory Van Buren, Roy Risley, Fred Brenner, Robert Salgueiro, Lloyd Henry, Louis Venturi. Middle row: Binnie Adolph, Diana Pomerleau, Rosalie Varela, Carol Wrubel, Joan Lombardi, Georgiann Crist, Stephanie Strelkauskas, Louise Yannuzzi, Lynn Ilaria, Lois Brown, Natalie Mokrynsky. Back row: Andrew Del Preore, Robert Fleischman, Carolyn Bayreder, Veronica Walsh, Rhonda Patterson, Florence Lizerman, Linda Oelgeschlager, Camille Deo, Charlotte Tasco, Leonard Ludovico, James Carboy. Missing from the photograph are Marion Rowe, Elaine Portee, and Carol Kuper.

WINTER CONCERT

"Get that wrong note out of there!"

"Do you expect me to pick the right notes out of the air?"

"Oh, no, I'm running out of piano!"

The January concert with its 250 participants was extremely entertaining and was a financial success as well.

The highlight of the evening was a piano solo, "Rhapsody in Blue," by Trina Guardi. Under the direction of Mr. Pesile, the Orchestra served as her accompaniment. The Band, conducted by Mr. D'Amico, played selections from the "King and I". Mrs. Shapiro led both the Chorus and the Girls' Glee Club which sang, among other selections, "Psalm 150" and "Serenade," respectively.

"Don't blow too hard or we'll lose the music."

Mrs. Shapiro searches for the lost chord.

SOPHOMORES

Through the ages man has tried to express himself in many different ways. These expressions served as an important outlet for his emotions. At first they were disorganized and crude; but they gradually evolved into the arts of civilization. These arts, these expressions, took form in music, art, literature and the dance. They are as varied as human nature itself.

The Greeks were cultured people, given to indulge often in the arts, as they knew them. Thus they created some of the most dynamic works of literature and art preserved from past history.

Here at Arts High we explore and learn not only about the arts of our own present day, or about the arts of our own nation, but also about the arts of all humanity; for in the expression of our emotions through this media we are all one, striving for a common goal, regardless of country, race, or century.

HOME ROOM 209 *Mr. Thomas Gannon*

Front row, left to right: Gasper Nastasi, Edward Shelton, Irving Ransom, Robert Evans, Lamont Padgett, Paul Michaud, Phil Ceraulo, Cameron Horne, Raymond Stone, Gerald DeMunno. Middle row: Mr. Gannon, Diane Noack, Judy Bator, John Nigro, Arlene Koval, Emma Clark, Mayretta Bogar, Joyce Kneipher, Richard Finaldi, Eugene Dombrowski, Ira Kraemer. Back row: Leroy Williams, Terry Elman, Louise Janavicius, Ina Hoffmann, Rosemarie Nardone, Carolyn Worrill, Robert Monaghan, Nancy Shannon, Isabel Castellucio, Gary Quien, Carole Flick, Missing from photograph are Arthur Burns, Barbara Moses, Elaine Brandt, Joseph Gualtieri.

HOME ROOM 315 *Mr. George Steisel*

Front row, left to right: Allan Konkus, James Boyle, John Curtiss, Emidio Bastianelli, Anthony Kropilak, Louis Gasparinetti, Louis Schubin, John Watts, Claudette Gatling, Maxine Nails. Middle row: Mr. Steisel, James Perry, Marilyn Henno, Carole Knight, Carole Gancarz, Marilyn Zondlo, Dominick Marmorato, Anthony Armento, Frank Beran, Stanley Friedman, Pearl Phillips, Charles D'Erasmo, Franklyn Armento. Back row: Stanley Jackson, Bruce Jones, Carolyn Sabatino, Dolores Rich, Georgia Pilkington, Jeffrey Alas, Joe De Vito, Wayne Muller, Elvera Barycki, Joyce Richards, Margie Covington, Phylene De Taranto, Howard Rothrock. Missing from the photograph are Neil Carangelo, Philip Nicastro and Howard Wrigley.

HOME ROOM 208 *Mr. Milton Knobler*

Front row, left to right: Ronald Sommerhalter, Isaiah Cooper, Charles Agrillo, Charles Links, Nick Di Giuseppe, Mike Ferrara, Joseph Cocuzza, William Caruso, Jeffrey Du Clos. Middle row: Mr. Knobler, Lorraine Rogers, Gerald Miko, John Briden, Kenneth Ghorm, Bohdanna Rycar, Thomas Fitzsimmons, Stephanie Pilch, Josephine Stroney, Nadia Waskiw. Back row: Alice Zukowski, Georgie Mae Wise, Ann Kilian, Jo Ann Mustachio, Antonia Cilona, Beverly Reid, Marlene Ventolo, Marie Carmiche. Missing from the photograph are Carole Hawes and Geraldine Grippaldi.

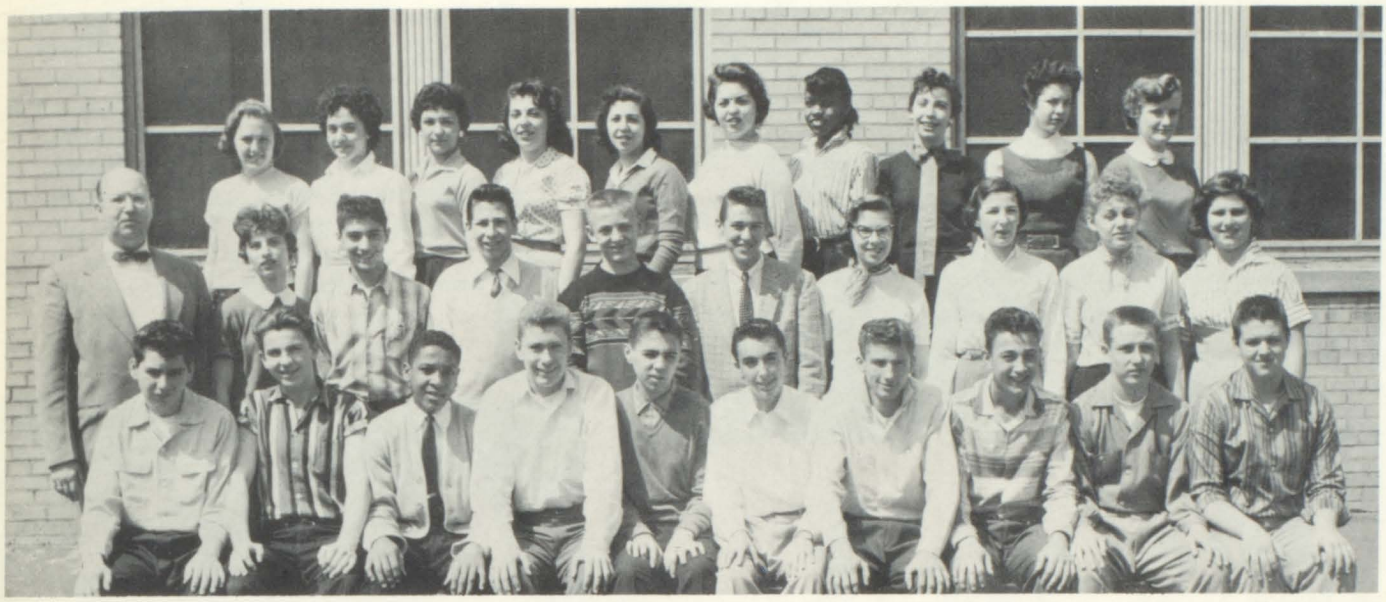
HOME ROOM 219 *Mr. Roy Perry*

Front row, left to right: Evelyn Sousa, John Paul, Helmar Cooper, Elaine Stanton, Ann Oppido, John Szumel, Ronald Booker, Janet Doremus. Middle row: Mary Cantella, Barbara Wooten, David Zambelli, Salvatore Girgenti, Juanita Williams, Myrna Utley, Willis Hicks, Barbara Lehto, Katherine McGuinness. Back row: Gail Lustig, Joan Freiwald, Jeannette Danel, Geraldine Mitchell, Diana Tracy, Judith Kirchmayr, Alma Esposito, Carol Hagel. Missing from the photograph is Edward Rostiac.

CLASS OF JUNE 1959

HOME ROOM 307 *Mrs. Bette Lazar*

Front row, left to right: Johanna Ackerman, John Woodworth, Marie Agrillo, William Gwiazda, Catherine Kleinatland, Richard Hillman, Connie Spanos, John Haynes, James Boyd. Middle row: Mrs. Lazar, Raymond Wheeler, Bettie Kimbro, Linda Ross, Harry Jones, Ida Mae Sagendorf, Sal Candela, Unice El. Back row: Stephen Podracky, Eleanor Miller, Mary Anne Squillaro, Marie Franklin, Elizabeth Giglio, Theresa Maziukiewicz, Mary Loatman, Marylou Albano, John Czerkowicz. Missing from the photograph are Andrea Resutek and Dean Ingram.



HOME ROOM 309 *Mr. Seymour Landsman*

Front row, left to right: Arthur Saliceti, Leonard Rumbinas, Richard Eubanks, Robert Kane, Joseph Catrambone, Gerald Nienaber, William Lund, Ronald Venturi, Frank Votto, Mario Abate. Middle row: Mr. Landsman, Gail Lund, George Piegari, Kenneth Kaplowitz, Robert McCracken, Edward Green, Susan Lulic, Janice Lovvorn, Barbara Bonnet, Dahlia Krouk. Back row: Joanne Kiely, Virginia Beazlie, Marilyn Bove, Patricia Ruth, Adele Eisenberg, Joseph Scardaville, Carol Li Pira, Marianna Miserendino, Janet Pastarack, Alice Emans. Missing from the photograph are Rose Marie Nagy, Robert Camuso, Barbara Richter.

HOME ROOM 320 *Mrs. Lucille Hiller*

Front row, left to right: Mary Merlucci, George Ballman, Dolores Dreyer, Carolyn Simpson, Samuel Rizzo, Robert Spellman, Kevin Marks, John Fudge, Ronald Przemelewski. Middle row: Mrs. Hiller, Ricardina Da Silva, Kathleen Fabricatore, Gloria Lewis, Joann Menzler, John Marchione, Curtis Hamilton, Emma Williams, Georgianne Holland, Nancy Griffin. Missing from the photograph are Vito Catania and Clara Ann Meola.

As certain as fall follows summer, Arts High's annual Square Dance, held at St. Benedict's gym, follows the opening of school. The muse Terpsichore must have been present as there was endless dancing the entire evening with our Greenjackets supplementing the fast moving square dances. Together with the calico "kats" and dungaree "dolls", the many Fun Loving members of the faculty helped to create a friendly atmosphere. With ambrosia and nectar in the form of cookies and coke, the appetites of all were satiated.

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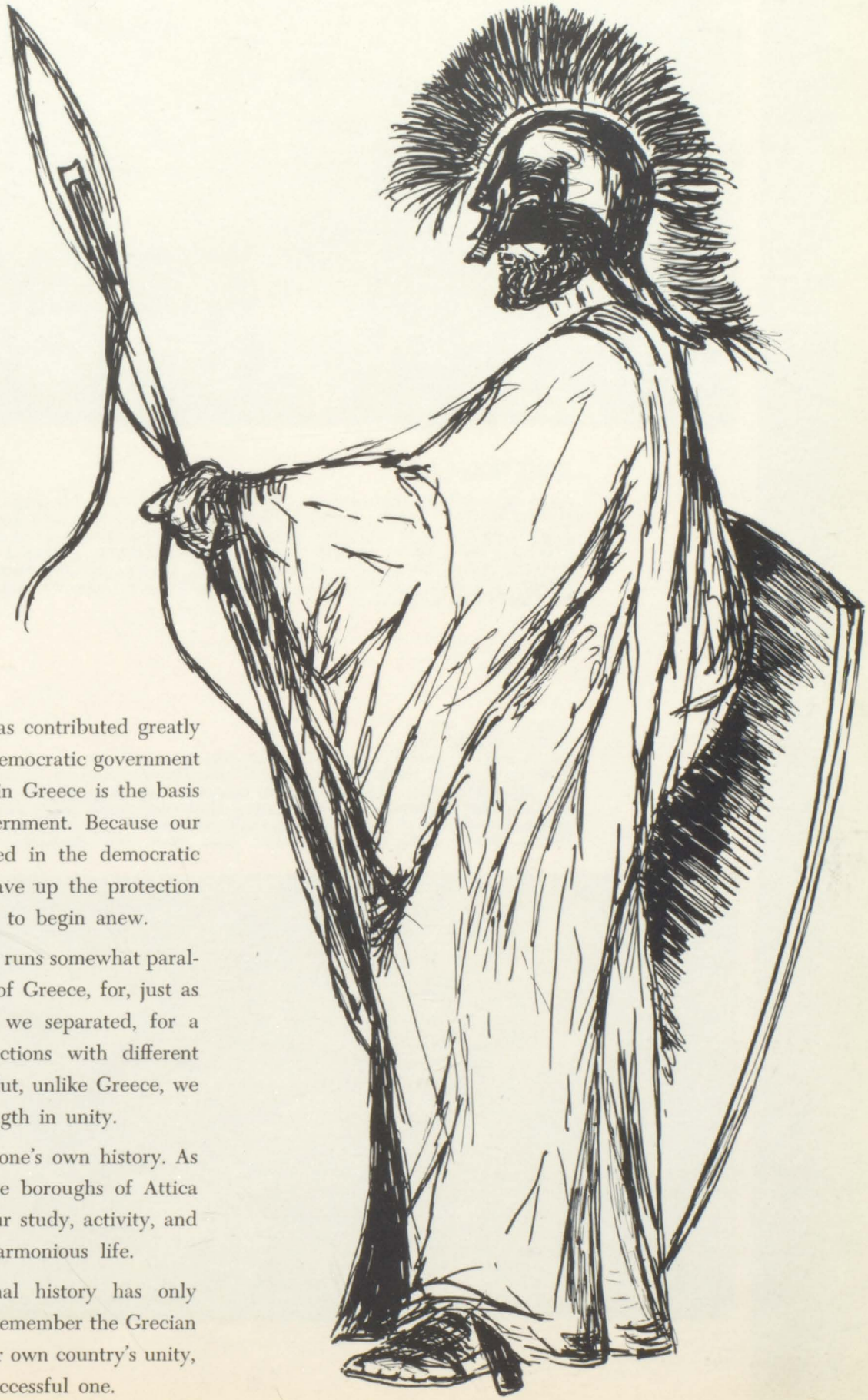


Greek history has contributed greatly to our own. The democratic government which originated in Greece is the basis for our own government. Because our forefathers believed in the democratic principles, they gave up the protection of an old country to begin anew.

Our own history runs somewhat parallel to the history of Greece, for, just as she split in two, we separated, for a time into two sections with different aims and ideals. But, unlike Greece, we regained our strength in unity.

Also parallel is one's own history. As Theseus united the boroughs of Attica we have united our study, activity, and pleasure into a harmonious life.

But our personal history has only started and if we remember the Grecian democracy and our own country's unity, ours must be a successful one.

CLASS OF JANUARY 1959

HOME ROOM 113 *Miss Ruth Abos*

Front row, left to right: Joselyn Melillo, James Robinson, Jay Serco, Elizabeth Woodruff, Walter Slawuta, Joseph Palmucci, Richard Shanks. Middle row: Judith Plesnik, Osborne Frazier, Norma Tenore, Virginia Delli Sante, Rhoda Schainman, Carol Poranski, Ruth Stubbs, Rosalyn Wright, David Appling. Back row: Vinnie Santora, Michael Lallone, Kathy Galasso, Anthony Sorce, Ann Picillo, Barbara McCarl, Sophie Sigouris, Meredith Edwards, Edna Rainey, Eva Tyler. Missing from the photograph are Colin Wendell, Neil Harris, Ronald Frey and Clyde Kuemmerle.

HOME ROOM 204 *Miss Theresa David*

Front row, left to right: Eugene Guff, Charles Herman, Edward Enerlick, Stephen Bazarewsky, John D'Andrea, Philip Emanuele, Lawrence Crawley. Middle row: Miss David, John Delk, Irving Zeidner, Mary McGuinness, Darleen Colardi, Marie Guarino, Paula Jackson, Janice Crooms. Back row: Charles Casler, Robert Bell, John Jones, Frank Jacoby, Judy Brown, Marion Dellaria, Vivian Bristol, Edna Jones, Zelia Singletary, Richard Jenkins.

HOME ROOM B8 *Miss Sarah E. Howe*

Front row, left to right: Sanford Werfel, Cary Pittman, Eddie Robinson, Roger Brown, Joseph Scaduto, Michael Petrien, Thor Woronchuk, Thomas Zimmerman. Middle row: Miss Howe, Fred Travisano, Stuart Welch, Kathleen Rivers, Florence Staats, Melissa Pierce, Patricia Reed, Ann Peters, David Zaleski, Florian Jenkins. Back row: James Yachnik, Hazel Bullard, Barbara Green, Esther Zucker, Grace Stanley, Virginia Zaleski, Betty Sommerhalter, Kathleen Walsh, Vincent Prockelo. Missing from the photograph is Donald Richardson.

HOME ROOM 210 *Mr. Louis Spindler*

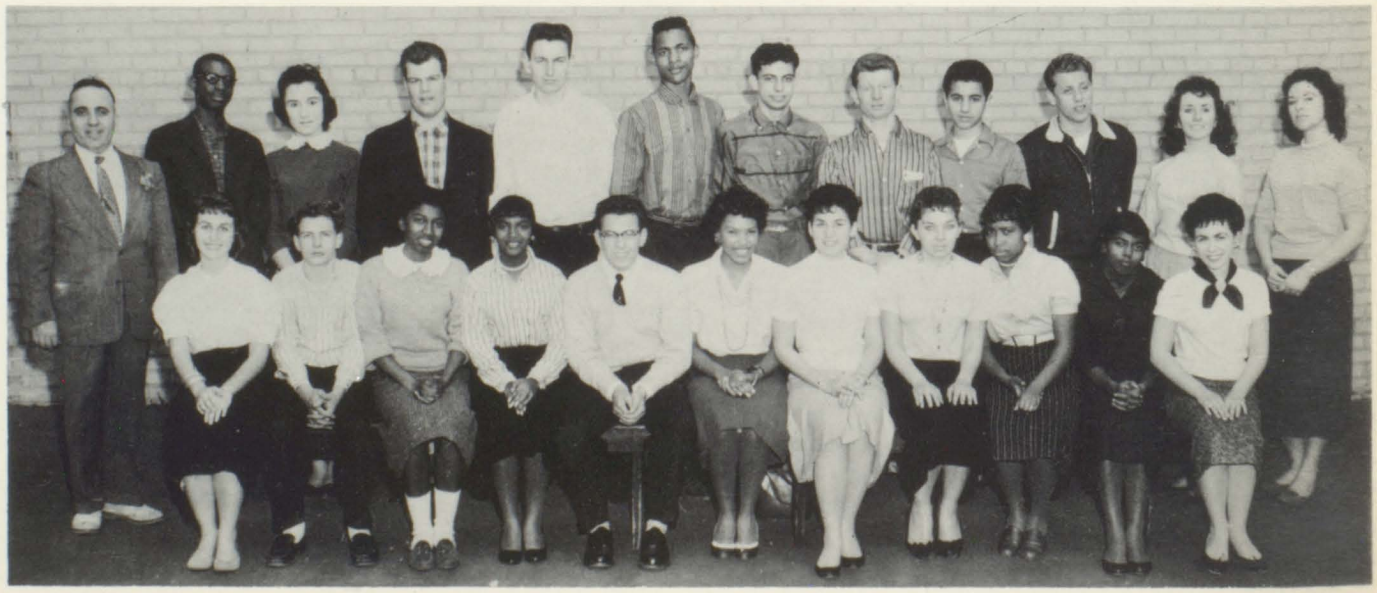
Front row, left to right: David Beach, Robert James, Laurence Adams, Dennis Skolski, Ronald Winston, Martin Yashinski, Joe Grasso. Middle row: George Sedares, Joe Iurio, Edward Drennen, Joe Fashano, Martha Halamaj, Camelia Graham, Ruth Leskowski, Alva O'Loughlin. Last row: Tony Fazio, Melba Smith, Anna De Luca, Marilyn Dilorenzo, Pearl Hunt, Janet Reboli, Rita Hermelin, Jean Heslin, Victoria Ensor. Missing from the photograph is Ronald Shipley.

HOME ROOM 218 *Mrs. Catherine Sweeney*

Front row, left to right: Douglas Jones, Annette Kassell, Caroline Knakiewicz, Joseph Mannion, Emily Nazarus, Edward Ebert, Frederick Warner, Barbara Kraemer. Middle row: Mrs. Sweeney, Dolores Koval, Jean Michalski, Carol Brooks, Rosalie Klotz, Gertrude Kropilak, James Garrahan. Back row: George Zalan-Karossy, Patricia Manning, Diana Kelleher, Marian Ferrigno, Aretta Odendahl, Carol O'Donnell, Mary Ann Laulette. Missing from the photograph are Stanley Steinmark, Lorenzo Gilliam and Mildred Ban.

HOME ROOM 314 *Mr. Phillip Clamurro*

Front row, left to right: Angela Carracino, Raymond Underwood, Mary Crews, Eleanor Chase, Ernest Klepetz, Gwendolyn Sims, Ann Campanella, Barbara Bienkowski, Carol Adams, Ollie Simmons, Anna Cimolo. Back row: Mr. Clamurro, Herbert Middleton, Joan Michalski, Anthony Villanova, Frank Falkowski, Donald Brown, Salvatore Cerruto, Richard Bates, Albert Canarelli, Stanley Cichowski, June Andrian, Constance Atkins. Absent from the photograph are Dennis Anniballi and James Berube.



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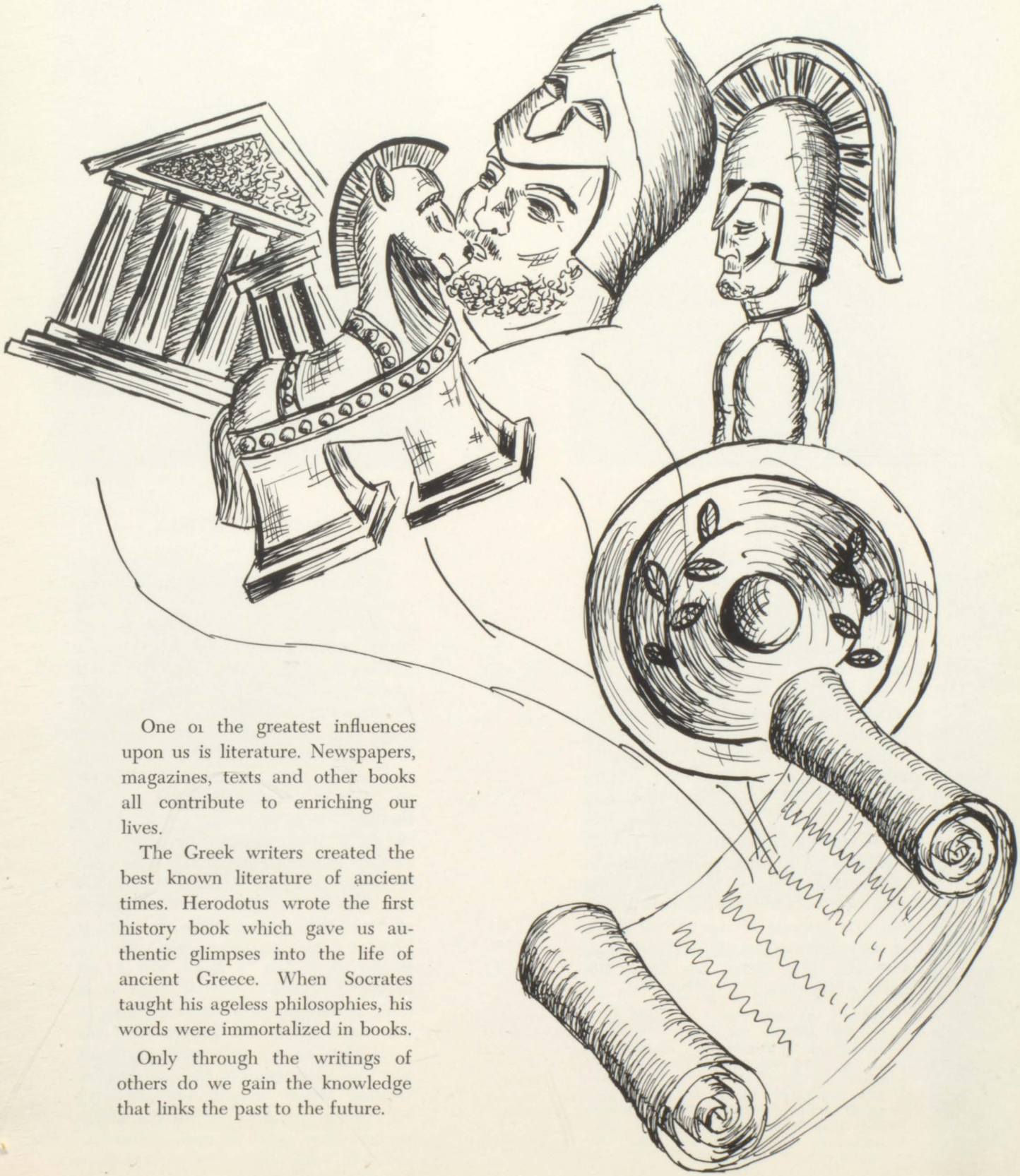


One oı the greatest influences upon us is literature. Newspapers, magazines, texts and other books all contribute to enriching our lives.

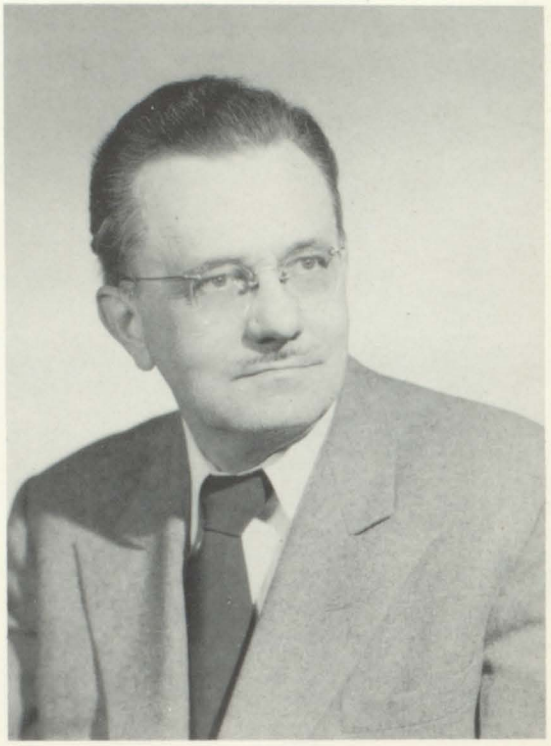
The Greek writers created the best known literature of ancient times. Herodotus wrote the first history book which gave us authentic glimpses into the life of ancient Greece. When Socrates taught his ageless philosophies, his words were immortalized in books.

Only through the writings of others do we gain the knowledge that links the past to the future.

ADVISORS

DOROTHY NEUSS
B.S., M.A. — English

"For the girls in our family, school teaching seems to strike the right note," says Mrs. Neuss, who was born December 1, in Elizabeth, New Jersey. Her interests have always coincided with her teaching, for she is quite a reader. She has always liked "ballet and music, especially symphonic music." (Have we a "longhair" in our midst?) After graduating from Battin High, Elmira College and Montclair State Teachers College, where she obtained her B.S. and M.A., she "substituted for a long while" and then became a regular teacher. When she came to Arts, she found it was easy to correlate English with the other arts because of the special music and art opportunities offered here, and, ever since, Mrs. Neuss has found her teaching "very rewarding."



JAMES W. LOWRY
B.S., M.A. — Science

Mr. Lowry calls himself "an old, worn out, broken-down teacher" who, even though he has received many outside offers, continues teaching "only because I like people so much." Actually, he is one of the most active, humorous, and enthusiastic individuals on the Arts High staff. He was born on December 23 in Pennsylvania, and in later years, majored in music at Columbia where, in 1925, he obtained an M.A. At first, though, he thought he would be "a chemical engineer, but changed to a medical course, only to find three years were added to the required training!" It was then he decided, with the influence of his college professor, Dr. Stewart, to become a teacher. After graduation, he taught music but "it finally got on my nerves; I couldn't stand it," and so he took up high school sciences, which he has continued to the present day. Mr. Lowry has an avid interest in photography and ham radio—in fact his speed in sending Morse code is too fast even for the Pentagon! When his son was in service, they used to communicate by radio to each other every day. Quite ingenious, no?

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PATRICIA ANDERSON

211 Peshine Avenue

In January, 1954, Pat arrived at Arts High from Oliver Street School. She is a jovial person, who has been an active member of the Student Council, the Modern Dance Club, the *Scope* and the Girls' Glee Club. She also plays a good game of captainball. Some of Pat's outside activities include playing on an all girl baseball team, singing in the St. James A. M. E. church choir, and serving as a member of the Bergen Community Center. She hopes to attend Newark State Teachers College to become an English teacher.

BEVERLY BARLOW

312 South Eleventh Street

"Bev" came to us as a Freshman and made many friends. Among her extracurricular activities were Student Council, Sewing Club, and the Library Guild. Her classmates elected her vice-president of the 3B class. She will always remember the teachers' understanding ways and the friendly students. Her favorite pastimes outside of school were hours spent at a girls club, a fan club, and working at Hahne & Co. Bev plans to attend Katharine Gibbs Secretarial School, and then to work in an office.

JEAN JONES

743 High Street

"Liberace" came to Arts from Monmouth Street School. Here, she has been an active participant in the Junior Red Cross Club. She is a great lover of music, any kind, except jazz. She particularly enjoys listening to the real Liberace, as well as playing the piano or listening to others. Jean thought she was very fortunate in being able to come to Arts High. "Liberace" is not planning to go to college, instead she will enter the business world.

JOSEPHINE ANN PANTANO

407 South Fifteenth Street

JoAnn'll be remembered for her fine scholastic record, for she has been on the Honor Roll since entering Arts in February, 1954. She has been an art major and next to her friends and teachers, has enjoyed her art classes most. Her extracurricular activities included *Scope* and Student Council, and in spare time she goes back to art. After graduation she plans to enter either Pratt Institute, or the Newark School of Fine and Industrial Art to study commercial advertising.

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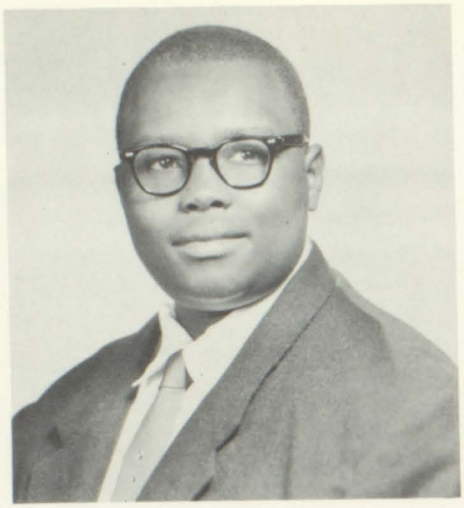
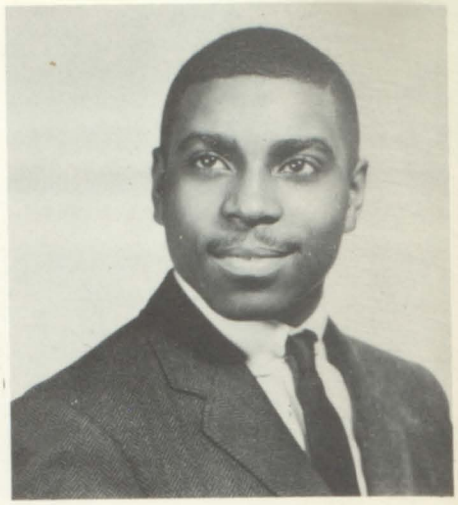


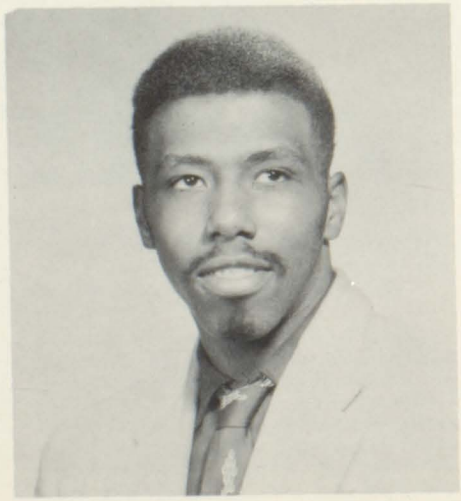
JAMES ALLEN

JOSEPH ANDRANSKY



DAVID APPLING

REBECCA BARNES



ROBERT BASS

JAMES ALLEN — *76 Prince Street*

James, who has outstanding art talent, came from Morton Street School. He is a quiet and reserved fellow who likes his lunch periods. Aside from school work, he works part-time as a handy man. His favorite hobby is ceramics, although he likes pets and drum playing. He is also a scorekeeper at the Boys' Club, of which he is a member. Although he is learning to be a barber, in the future he hopes to secure a professional art training.

JOSEPH ANDRANSKY — *107 Seth Boyden Terrace*

Joe came to Arts High from Dayton Street School in February 1954. He is very friendly toward both teachers and students and has a great sense of humor. His main interests in Arts have been the art classes and the girls. He has enjoyed the school holidays, the lunch periods and study periods as well. Outside of school, he likes to play football and basketball. He also has a mania for guns. After graduation, he plans to join the Navy.

DAVID APPLING — *73 Quitman Street*

Dave is a happy-go-lucky guy who with his jokes and antics provides constant entertainment for fellow students. As part of a singing group he has helped to brighten several shows and dances. Dave has been a member of the Opera Club, Boys' Glee Club, and Chorus. His favorite sports are football and baseball and he is an active participant in the Drum and Bugle Corps. After graduation Dave plans to attend an art college to study interior decoration.

REBECCA BARNES — *105 Wallace Street*

Becky came to Arts High in 1954 from Robert Treat Junior High School. She has participated in the Girls' Glee Club and the Junior Red Cross, where she showed her willingness to help others. Baseball, swimming, tennis and embroidery are among the many different out-of-school activities which have attracted Rebecca. She has enjoyed her music and sewing classes best. Becky likes her job of taking care of children and plans to continue doing this work after her graduation.

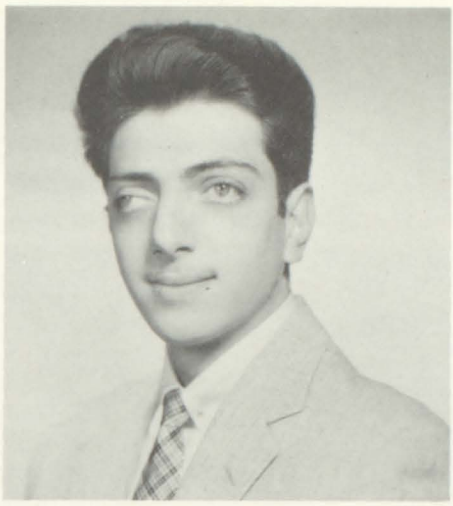
ROBERT BASS — *73 Seventeenth Avenue*

Bob came to Arts High from Central Avenue School in September, 1953. He is a quiet fellow who minds his own business. Bob has made many friends among the students and among the teachers because of his pleasant personality. His favorite hours have been spent in the English classes and in the cafeteria. In school he hasn't participated in many activities, but outside, he is a member of the YM-YWCA. Bob has not yet chosen a career to follow when he graduates.

RONALD BONADIES

23 Holland Street

Known for his cheerful grin, Ronald did not have much time for extracurricular activities in Arts High, but has been able to become a member of the Baseball Team, and has enjoyed attending basketball and football games. He is also an avid reader. He will always remember the operettas and the other music programs and the Christmas Pageant in which he participated. In the future he hopes to become a doctor, but has not decided which college he will attend.



ANTHONY DiGREGORIO

81 Third Avenue

Tony's goal is to become an advertising artist. He came to Arts High in February '54 from McKinley School and has since then been very much interested in art work. Besides his art talent, Tony has a knack for making others feel happy and for making friends. During his after-school hours, Tony has kept a job with the Acme Super Markets. He is rather on the ambitious side, and would like to continue his study of commercial art after graduation.

JOSEPH DI RAGO

719 North Seventh Street

Joe is one of our enjoyable-to-be-with students. He came to us as a freshman from Abington Avenue School. The well organized assemblies have ranked highest with him in his four years here at Arts High. Joe's extracurricular activities have included participation in the Craft Club and the Pottery Club. With his many interests, his time out of school is spent in playing tennis, baseball, football and baseball. After graduation Joe plans to go to Pratt Institute.

"No, Marlene, an autobiography is not the life of a car."

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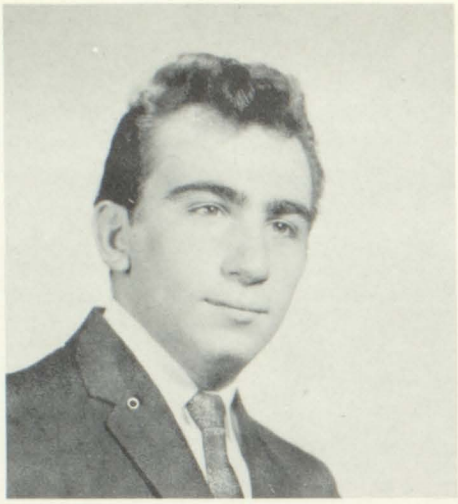


ALBERT DA CRUZ

686 South Twentieth Street

Al joined us in February of 1955 after having attended Seton Hall Preparatory School. In the time he has been here, he's enjoyed the friendly people and the assembly programs. He has also made many friends. Because he works in the Show Shop of Newark and has his own band, the "Lamp Lighters", Al hasn't had time for many extracurricular activities. Although he plans to attend college, he has not yet chosen a career.

SANDRA DeLUCIA

61 South Twelfth Street

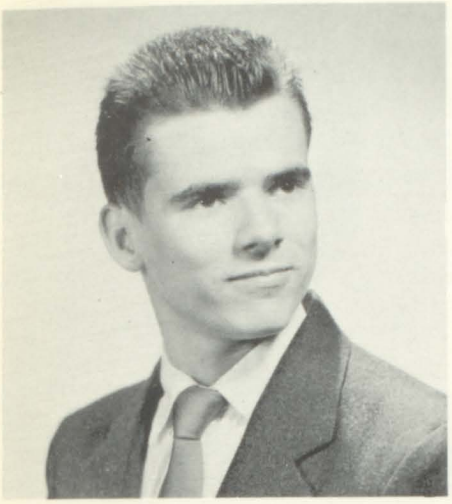
"Sandy" is known to all for her special smile which livens the dullest moments. Her extracurricular activities have included the Girls' Glee Club and the Operetta Club. She has always enjoyed our assembly programs, especially the opening exercises, and considers chorus classes as tops at Arts High. The Brooklyn Dodgers are her favorite baseball team. Outside of school she sings in a church choir, and works at Bamberger's. "Sandy" plans to join the Women's Marine Corps after graduation.

ANTHONY DONOFRIO

477 South Nineteenth Street

Tony will always be remembered for his quiet sense of humor. He was a valuable member of the Art Service Club, and a reporter on the *Scope*. His many varied outside activities include swimming, playing checkers and chess, and horseback riding where he works at the Little Corral. He plans to seek a permanent position as soon as he graduates, and will possibly enter the commercial art field. Tony will remember the wonderful times he had in all of his classes, and the striking assemblies.

From a shapeless mass into a shapely mess if you're not careful.



JOSEPH DORBIN

VALENTINE GORDON

ANITA GRANDE

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JOSEPH DORBIN *34 Hanford Street*

"Good things come in small packages." That's the way we think of Joe. He has been an Honor Roll student throughout his high school career, and through his pleasant personality has made many friends. He's enjoyed his four years of active participation in the classroom and in the extracurricular programs. He's been an enthusiastic member of the Swimming Team and of the Student Council. Joe's biggest achievement was being elected Mayor of the school. After graduation he plans to attend college.

VALENTINE GORDON *130 Wainwright Street*

Val came to Arts from Branch Brook School. She has always been a favorite with us because of her warmth and friendliness, and because of her quiet, reserved manner. Her industrious work has kept her on the Honor Roll throughout her four years as an Artie. She has always participated in class activities. She likes to read, and she has frequently been found in a quiet corner of the library perusing a best seller. Because of her art and mathematical ability, Val might enter one of these fields.

ANITA GRANDE *14 Prospect Place*

Anita is one of our quiet but happy-go-lucky girls. She entered Arts High from Arlington Avenue School. She will be remembered as the girl with a bright, sparkling smile. Reading is her hobby and that, together with working in Bamberger's, hasn't left her much time for extracurricular activities. Anita has particularly enjoyed the fine student participation in the assemblies. Her greatest ambition is to become a secretary, but the ring on her fourth finger may change this.

RICHARD HILSER *875 South Twentieth Street*

Sports rank high in Richie's choice of activities. He enjoyed being co-captain of the Swimming Team, where he was an outstanding participant, and manager of the Track Team, and sports editor of the *Scope*. Out of school he likes to swim and play tennis. Richie also has a political passion. He was a member of the Student Council and one of the 1956 representatives to Boys' State. After graduation he will either further his art education or study business administration.

LOUIS INZEO *84 Beaumont Place*

Even though he entered Arts High as a junior, Lou soon became one of the most popular boys in class. He's known as "Buzzy" to his many friends. Sports've occupied most of his leisure time. He has been awarded letters for his playing on both the Basketball and Baseball Teams. He'll always remember the friendliness of the students and the faculty, as well as the helpfulness of the coaches. His ambition is to attend college and prepare for his career.

RICHARD HILSER

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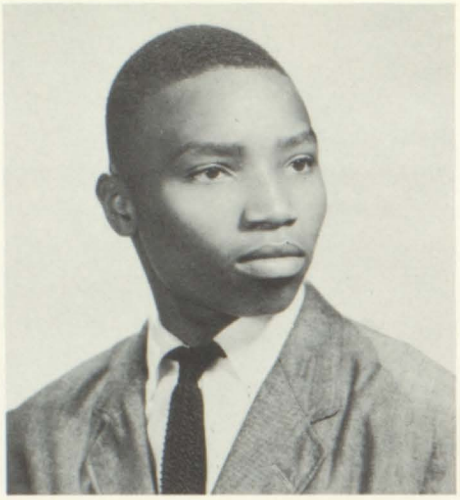
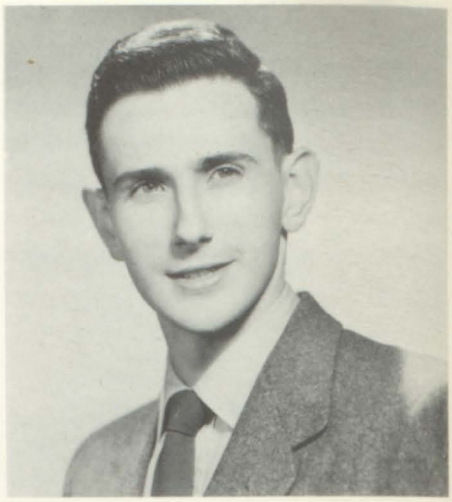


FLORIAN JENKINS

KATHY KARPINSKI



EDWARD KLEINSORGEN

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WALTER KOCH

FLORIAN JENKINS *34 Nairn Place*

Arts High School's Track Team and Basketball Team were major attractions for "Lucky", who has served on them both. He enjoys sports of many kinds and in his spare time he likes nothing better than a workout with the local Basketball Team, of which he is a member. He also belongs to the YM-YWCA, and when he isn't there, he is practicing with his singing group. Florian would like to go to college, but he is not sure which one.

KATHY KARPINSKI *136 North Thirteenth Street*

Since Kathy came to Arts four years ago, she has become a top honor student. Kathy's very active in the Modern Dance Club, the Library Guild, and the Typing Club. In her junior B term she was inducted into the National Honor Society. Being very ambitious, Kathy works during the summer coloring photographs. Outside of school she is an ardent New York Yankee fan, and in her spare time, if she has any, she looks for records to add to her collection.

EDWARD KLEINSORGEN *148 South Thirteenth Street*

Eddie will always be remembered for his cheerful smile and the "majority of the minority". An excellent student, he has been a faithful member of the National Honor Society. His main extracurricular activity was the Stage Crew, of which he was captain. Outside of school he's participated in church activities, and is an avid checkers and chess fan. Though not yet sure of his future vocation, he is planning to attend Princeton University.

CECILIA KNOF *78 Boylan Street*

Since coming to AHS from Alexander Street School, Cecilia has made many friends among the faculty as well as the students. Snookie to all her friends is one of our very able cheerleaders. In her free time she goes to dancing school almost every night, swims for a swimming team, and does art work. A happy, fun-loving, determined person, she has enjoyed cheerleading, concerts, dances, and variety shows. She plans to be a professional dancer after graduation.

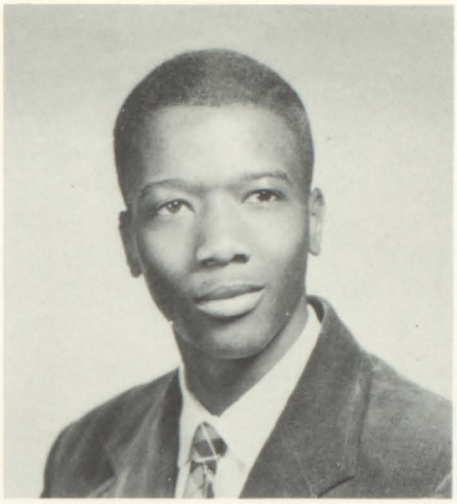
WALTER KOCH *192 Nineteenth Avenue*

Walter came to Arts High from South Seventeenth Street School in 1954. The things he has enjoyed most while here were the girls, the study periods, the lunch periods, and the holidays. In his spare time he also likes fishing and hunting. Other outside activities include membership in the Dover Consolidated Sportsmen, Inc. He also worked in his father's garage as a mechanic. After graduation "Farmer" does not plan to go to college, but would rather become an auto mechanic.

CAROLE McCOY

32 Barclay Street

Carole came to Arts in February, 1954 from Monmouth Street School. She has a keen sense of humor, and enjoys her participation in the *Scope,* Student Council, Sewing Club, *Vignette,* and also membership in the National Honor Society. In her spare time Carol likes to dance, read, sew, or sing in her church choir. Carole has enjoyed her teachers, dances, and variety shows best at Arts High. She'd like to major in the field of psychology or journalism at college.



FRED McCOY

208 Spruce Street

"Kid" came to Arts High from Charlton Street School. He has been an active member of the baseball team. In his spare hours, Fred has a part time job which he supplements by playing baseball and by participating in other sports activities. Fred enjoyed most about school the time he spent away from it. With sports dominating his mind, Kid does not plan to go to college, but naturally he will get a job dealing with some kind of sport.

MARLENE MERCURO

920 Hunterdon Street

Tall, dark-haired Marlene is fittingly nicknamed "Long Sam." She is a pleasant girl with a happy-go-lucky disposition which will pave the way for her in whatever field of work she chooses to enter. Away from school she takes part in CYO activities and enjoys dancing. She has served the school by working with the Junior Red Cross and has also helped to collect money for the Cancer Fund. When she graduates, Marlene will enter Katharine Gibbs Secretarial School.

Busy little artists, going to town, a slip of the brush and your mark goes down.

BARBARA MOLDOFSKY

24 Shaw Avenue

Bobbie came to Arts from Bragaw Avenue School in February, 1954. Since coming here she has made quite a reputation as a member of the *Vignette* and Math Club. She has also participated on the *Scope* staff. Arts High students have gotten to know her through mayoralty campaigning, which she believes has taught her a lot about herself and Arts, and as one of the girls in the Color Guard. Barbara will attend Maryland University and study merchandising or psychology.

ANNETTE MERENDINO

13 Halsted Street

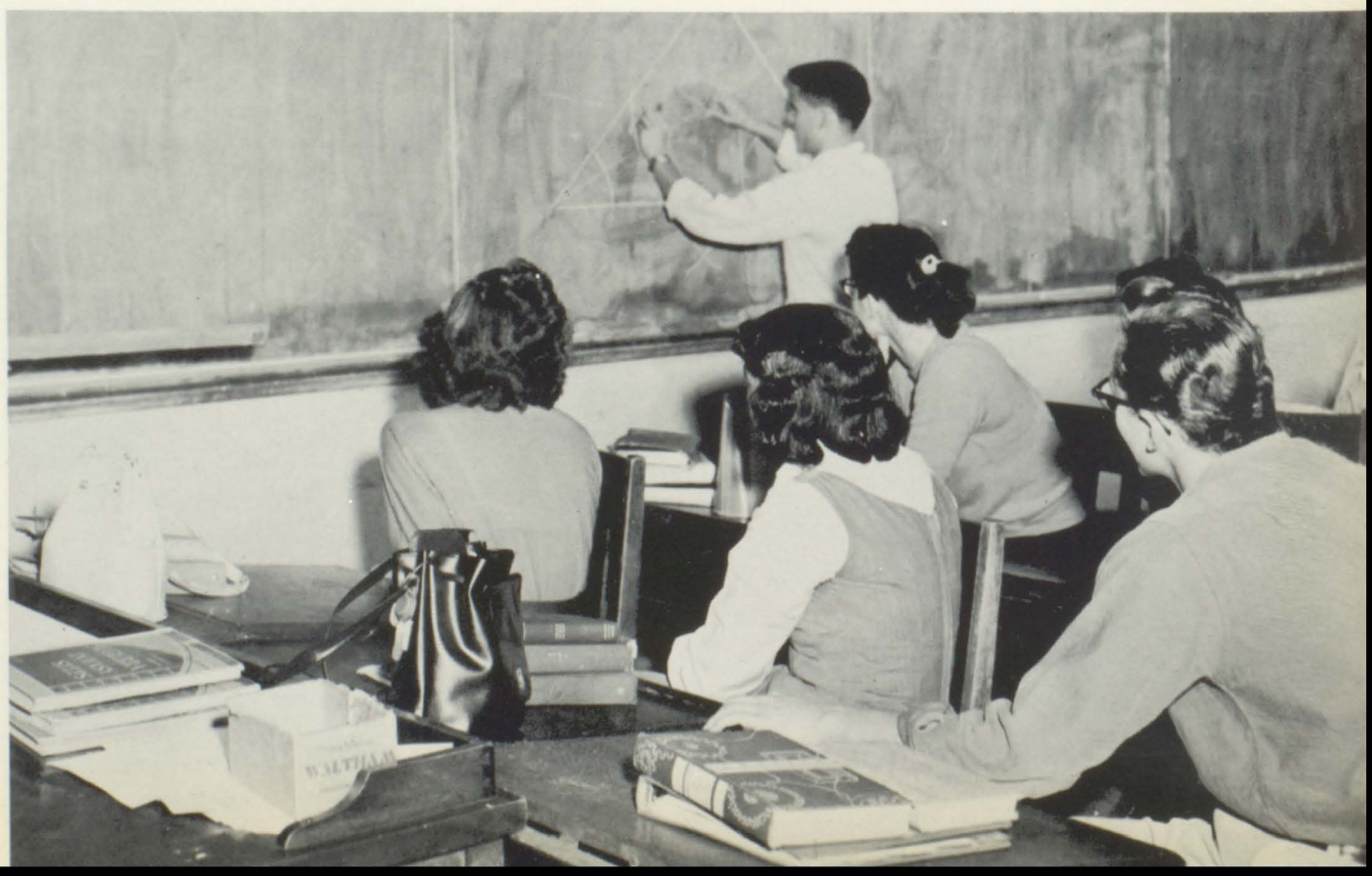
Toni is certainly a strikingly self-possesed girl. Her clever answers always seem to brighten the environment she is in. She came to Arts High as a freshman from Lincoln Grammar School. She enjoys her art classes most of all because of her outstanding ability in this direction. As do many girls, she likes to go out on dates and have a good time. Upon her graduation from Arts, Toni hopes to secure an office position.

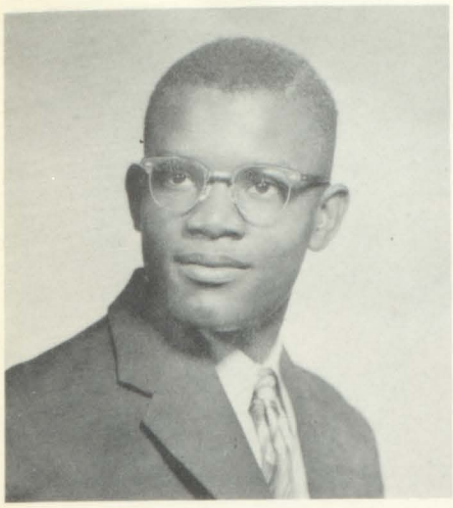
DAISY NOLAN

285 Waverly Avenue

Daisy, Dee, Day, or whatever else you may want to call her, is a girl with as many varied interests as she has nicknames. In school she has worked untiringly for the Red Cross. Her hobbies are reading, baseball, basketball, kickball, tennis, and boating. In addition to this busy schedule of activities she holds an after school job in an office. Daisy doesn't expect to go to college, but she plans to seek employment in a hospital.

"Oh bell, wilt thou ring? Or I'll fail my bisecting."





SAMUEL NORTON

ORELEEN ORR

ESTELLE PARRONE

SAMUEL NORTON *65 Seventeenth Avenue*

Being in the Drama Club, the Operetta Club, the Boys' Glee Club, the Band, the Chorus, and working for our school newspaper, the *Scope*, have kept Sam pretty busy during his stay here. Out of school, he is able to participate in two professional bands. This long list of activities certainly consumed most of his time, and the rest, no doubt, has been spent on actual school work, for he also plans to go to college after graduation.

ORELEEN ORR *62 Miller Street*

Oreleen's outstanding feature is her musical talent. She is graced with a lovely voice and made use of it by participating in the operas, and in other musical programs given by the music department. Another highlight of her vivid personality is her wonderful gift of gab which never ceases to function. Being so musically and verbally talented has made her choose the fields of concert singing and law. After graduation she plans to earn her way through law and music schools.

ESTELLE PARRONE *133 Hunterdon Street*

Estelle came to Arts High after graduating from Newton Street School. Her pleasant personality made her many friends. She has been a member of the Junior Red Cross Club, in which she's participated constantly. Estelle liked the assembly programs at Arts, as well as the lunch periods. She enjoyed good times in and out of the classroom. She's among the members of the class who do not intend to go to college. Instead, she will engage in secretarial work.

ESTA PLAGER *54 North Munn Avenue*

Although she's quiet, Esta was one of the busiest girls in Arts. Her school spirit was reflected brightly in her extracurricular activities and in her efficient way of obtaining her goals. Some activities to which Esta added her spark were *Scope*, operettas, chorus, and a radio program. Esta's gained much during her four years here; friends, music, a place in the National Honor Society, and a friendly attitude for a friendly school. Although obstacles have arisen to delay her plans, Esta will surely succeed in obtaining her goals.

GORDON REED *174 Orange Street*

Gordon is a quiet boy who is happiest when he's not in the spotlight. Known to his friends as "Buster", which is what he likes to be called, he came to us from McKinley School. Since he works after school Gordon cannot participate in the extracurricular activities, but he does do some basketball playing and swimming. A college education is not included in Buster's plans for the future. He intends to enter some branch of the Armed Services instead.

ESTA PLAGER

GORDON REED

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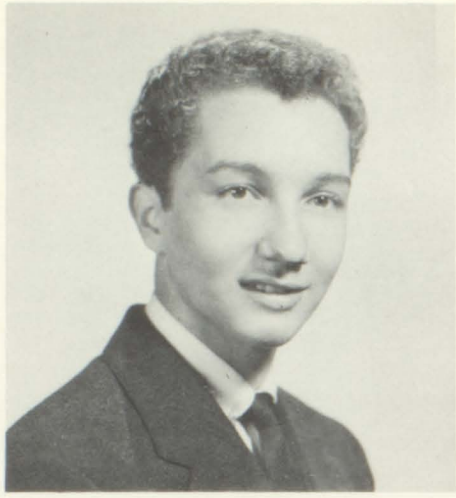
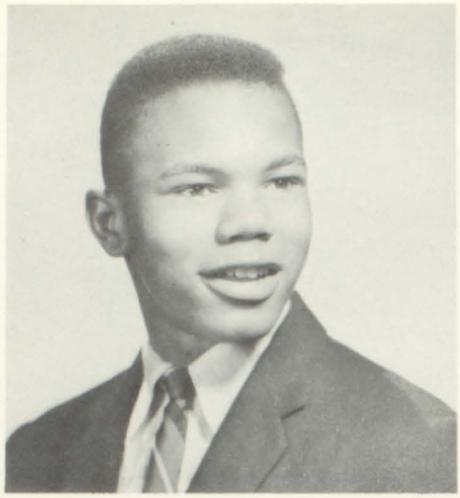


PATSY RICCARDI



RONALD SEELY

ROSEMARIE SENATORE

JEAN THREADCRAFT

CARL TOMMASONE

PATSY RICCARDI *22 North Hawthorne Lane*

Pat's a nice little guy with curly hair and a quiet disposition. He came to Arts High from Abington Avenue School in February, 1954. During his four years here he enjoyed his friends and the assemblies. He was manager of the Baseball Team. He's an art student and likes to draw at home in his spare time. Pat also engages in out-of-school sports activities. He plans to attend the Newark School of Fine and Industrial Arts after graduation.

RONALD SEELY *27 Day Street*

Here is a boy with a great deal of enthusiasm, for his extracurricular activities not only include being a reporter for our school newspaper, the *Scope*, but also extend to the Glee Club, the Music Club, and participation in the Christmas tableaux and Arts' presentation of the opera, "Down in the Valley". Ronald has even found time to belong to a band outside of school, and to work in a store. He ranks music first of all he has enjoyed here.

ROSEMARIE SENATORE *205 Pennington Court*

Coming here as a freshman from Oliver Street School, Rosemarie brought with her a friendly, happy disposition. Rosemarie spends her free time helping at home, working at Woolworth's, playing the piano, and being active in Saint Mary's CYO, of which she is the vice-president. She'll always remember her many friends among teachers as well as among students. She says she wants to be quieter and more helpful, but we like her as she is. After graduation, she plans to do secretarial work.

JEAN THREADCRAFT *65 Seventeenth Avenue*

"Little Jean", as she is called, is a lively person who loves to dance. Her specialty is the mambo, at which she is an expert. She works after school, and belongs to the Teenage Club. One thing Jean especially likes about Arts High is the friendliness of the teachers and the pupils. She is undecided about whether to go to college or to work as a typist when she graduates. Whatever she does, she is sure to do it well.

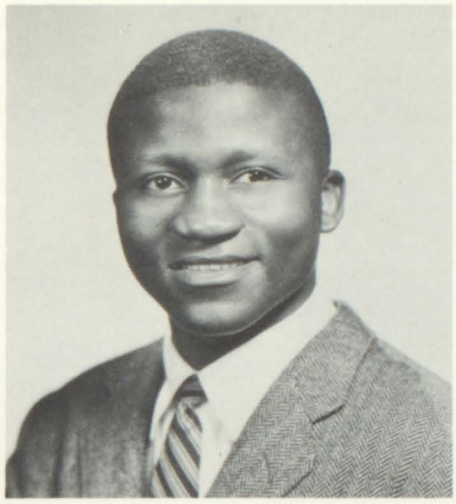
CARL TOMMASONE *264 Dayton Street*

Carl came to Arts High from Dayton Street School because of his great interest in cartooning. His other interests lie in the field of sports. Among Carl's fondest memories will be the fun he had as a member of the Gym Team. Out of school he has belonged to a Baseball Club at Weequahic Park, and held a job in the sporting goods department at Bamberger's. After graduation Carl will enter the field of commercial art.

LEONARD VOLPE

300 Morris Avenue

Lenny's wonderful personality has won him many friends here at Arts High. He came from Cleveland Junior High in 1954. He is somewhat mischievous and likes to tease. He can always find a joke to cheer someone who is sad, and is always willing to help a lady in distress. Lenny may go into the service after graduation from Arts High. Lenny has been a great help with class dances, working on all decorating committees, and afterward attending the dances.



ANDREW WIDEMAN BEY

32 Chester Avenue

Quiet, unassuming, and talented—that's Andrew, who came to Arts to study music. He belonged to the Chorus and Boys' Glee Club, and particularly enjoyed the musical activities. He made a great contribution to the entertainment of all, through singing and playing the piano at our annual Variety Shows. His out-of-school activities include singing and recording professionally, which he has been doing since he was a small boy. He will continue his career as a singer and pianist after graduation.

JOYCE WORCHESTER

83 Monmouth Street

"Streamline", as her friends call her, is an ardent mambo fan who practices her steps every day after school in order to obtain perfection. She came to Arts High from Monmouth Street School, in her freshman year, to pursue her study of Art. Her happy-go-lucky attitude and winning smile, along with her sense of humor, have won her many friends. Although undecided about her future, she is bound to succeed in whatever she undertakes.

ANDREW YSKAMP

38 Tiffany Boulevard

Andy's wonderful personality and sense of humor won him many friends among faculty and students. Since coming to us from Branch Brook School, he has maintained Honor Roll grades and has been elected to membership in the National Honor Society. Andy will always remember the friendliness and helpfulness of students and teachers, and the fun of being makeup editor of the *Scope,* as well as being a member of the Math Club. In his spare time he enjoys baseball and Rock and Roll. After graduation Andy hopes to enter Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

POPULARITY

All-Round Student

Joseph Dorbin
Carole McCoy

Best Looking

Lou Inzeo
Marlene Mercuro

Best Scholar

Edward Kleinsorgen
Kathy Karpinski

Best Figure

Richard Hilser
Estelle Parrone

Most Likely to Succeed

Joseph Dorbin
Barbara Moldofsky

Best Musician

Albert Da Cruz
Oreleen Orr

Best Personality

Anthony Di Gregorio
Esta Plager

Best Artist

Joseph Di Rago
Carole McCoy

Best Dressed

Anthony Donofrio
Josephine Pantano

Best Athlete

Richard Hilser
Cecile Knof

POLL

Best Dancer

Joseph Di Rago
Cecile Knof

Biggest Flirt

Carl Tommasone
Rosemarie Senatore

Most Popular

Joseph Dorbin
Marlene Mercuro

Class Clown

Carl Tommasone
Joyce Worchester

Quietest

Gordon Reed
Jean Jones

Dreamer

James Allen
Anita Grande

Noisiest

Carl Tommasone
Marlene Mercuro

Tallest

Edward Kleinsorgen
Kathy Karpinski

Bookworm

Andrew Yskamp
Valentine Gordon

Smallest

Patsy Riccardi
Estelle Perrone

VARIETY

"What was that ripping noise that I heard?" muses Alice Emans.

"Gads! what a time to get my finger caught," exclaims Edward Drennan.

"Will everyone kindly pick up his feet, don't be cruel, and get off my blue suede shoes, as they love me, tender!" begs Clyde Kuemmerle.

"Blow a little harder, boys," warns David Appling to Florian Jenkins, Larry McCoy, Richard Eubanks. "This mike isn't in the groove."

"Quick, run, before they throw something!" murmurs Joan De Rosa to Arlene McGraw as they scamper off the stage.

SHOW

Our annual variety shows, which are sponsored by the Student Council, have become as much a part of Arts High as art and music. These events utilize the talents of our students as well as the resources of the art and music departments.

The sixteenth variety show was held in October. Highlights of the show were a vocal rendition of "Autumn Leaves" by the Greenjackets, hilarious jokes by Mr. Spindler, the mystery guest, and comical introductions of the performers by members of the Stage Crew.

No need to say "cheese" as the happy stars consent to pose for the camera

"There must be an easier way to do the Cha-Cha," murmurs Mary Crews.

"I thought that was a rather good one myself," chortles Mr. Spindler.

Ann Cimolo invites us to go "Up a Lazy River" in the true Roberta Sherwood style.

"Hm-m, this one's good . . . doesn't look too fattening, I'll take two."

Our dreams are getting better all the time!

We could have danced all night.

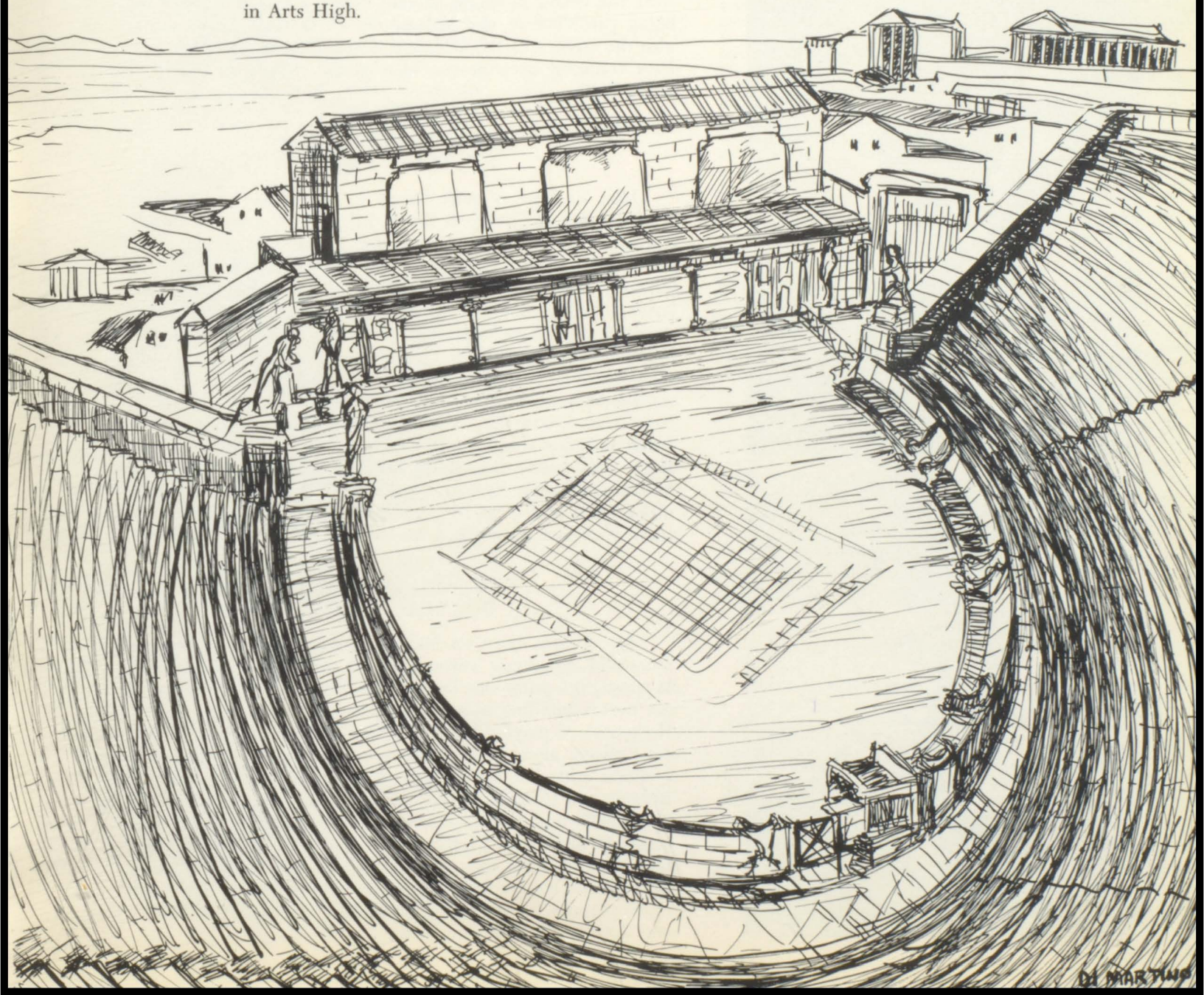
THE COLUMBIAN DANCE

"Help, we're trapped!"

SENIORS
CLASS OF JUNE 1957

This is the climax of a great occasion. The amphitheater is filled to the point of overflowing as you enter to take your place. A festival of your life is to be presented. The chorus begins with a comedy. You laugh as you recognize the prancing ogres and masked giants as your past fears and difficulties. A tragedy brings forth the failures that you would rather forget and changes them into moral lessons so that you realize what you have gained in experience and wisdom.

At the end it is the custom to judge which play is the best. But how can you judge? For all these things: failures, struggle, work, and experience have equally contributed to your growth into a mature person, a good citizen, a Senior in Arts High.



ADVISORS

ANNE S. COZZENS
B.S., M.A. — English

Mrs. Cozzens, who was born in Newark on November 15, has been interested in sports and dramatics for almost her entire life. When in Barringer High School, she played basketball throughout her four years, and won a letter in Newark Normal by breaking the record in a shot put! "Can't remember how far I put it, but it was fun." In high school she participated in various plays and remembers "making a speech in the assembly for Columbus Day on the topic, 'What We Owe To Mrs. Christopher Columbus.'" (A fighter for women's rights even then!) Later she attended New York University and received a B.S. and an M.A. She then started teaching in Waverly Avenue School (second to sixth grades), went to Cleveland Junior High, then came to Arts in 1932. Today she's still active in sports, having received a gold bracelet for being president of the Manasquan River Golf Club; she is also the advisor to the Dramatic Club. Here is a teacher who likes teaching because she likes young people so much: "I really do."

ALICE U. KEEHNER
B.S., M.A. — English

Miss Keehner is quite happy to admit she was born on the same day as George B. Shaw, July 26,—"though," she adds emphatically, "not in the same year!" As a child she loved to roller skate, read, and "walk miles". Even today she reads extensively and likes hiking as a sport, along with tennis and baseball, which she now enjoys purely as a spectator. After graduation from Alexander Street School, Barringer High, and Newark State Normal, she taught for a while in the grades and then decided "journalism was for me, and I thought I'd be a newspaperwoman." But, after receiving her B.S. and M.A. at New York University, "the mean professor held that I'd be better teaching English in high school." She then came to Arts High, and hasn't regretted her choice of profession since! When asked what kind of teacher she was, she replied with a quick smile and a wink, "Democratic, I hope; but there are times I suspect when I'm a 'benevolent autocrat' instead."

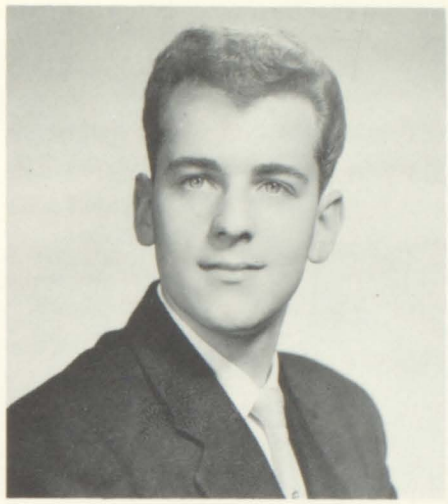
LEONARD M. MORRIS
B.A., M.A. — History

Mr. Morris, born on March 22, grew up in the Dodger homeland—Brooklyn! Throughout his youth he was interested in sports, the prime one being, naturally, baseball (which won out over a budding career as a violinist when he was eight!). He continued playing baseball while at Montclair State Teachers College, along with being a varsity basketball man, and a sports editor of the college newspaper. He also attended Rutgers and Cornell. He served in the army in World War II (1941-1945) and rose to the rank of captain. Frequently he'll entertain his history classes with stories in which he tells, in his own inimitable way, "how I won the war single handed!" Throughout his teaching career, a total of eleven years, his main purpose has been "to try to help youngsters to realize and develop whatever talent they might have."

JOSEPH MANZI

149 Ivy Street

Joe was elected president of his Senior Class and in this office he has served well. Along with holding this distinction, he was elected to the National Honor Society. He has been a faithful member of the Band, the Math Club, Student Council, and the *Vignette* Staff. Joe will always remember the musical events and the friendly atmosphere at Arts High. In the future, he wants to become an engineer, but at this time he has not yet decided what college he will attend.



ANDREW DI MARTINO

424 Third Avenue

Andy is the type of person who would do anything for Arts High. He's been very active in sports, and has won many meets for the Swimming Team. An active member of the Baseball Team, and the *Scope*, he also served as president of the Art Service Club. Belonging to a bowling league has brought him great enjoyment. In addition to his many sports honors, he has also won several art awards. After graduation Andy plans to attend college.

HELEN MOSIER

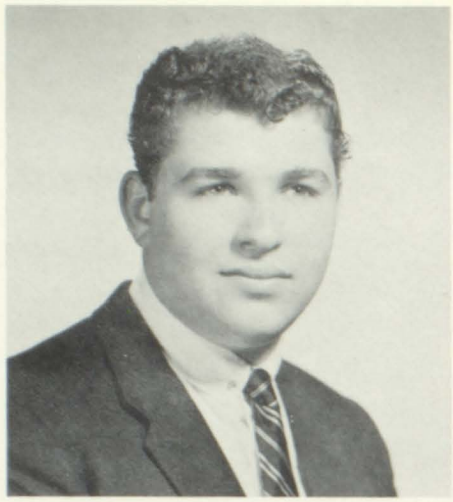
104 Houston Street

Shadow, Driftwood, and Smily are aliases for Helen. Shy, cute and quiet . . . are a few adjectives which describe her. Helen's efficiency and popularity have won her the coveted position of senior class secretary. Her extracurricular activities have included participation in the Student Council, the *Scope*, and the Spanish Club. Although boys and dancing occupy most of her spare time, she has enjoyed attending our basketball and baseball games. After her school days have been completed, Helen plans to secure an office position.

LANCE ANDERSEN

390 Chestnut Street, Nutley

Lance came to us from Nutley Junior High School. He has been a member of the Student Council, the Pottery Club, the Orchestra, the *Scope*, the *Vignette*, the Art Service Club, and the National Honor Society. (One of Lance's pet projects outside of school is telling the world about Connie Francis, through his Connie Francis Fan Club, of which he is president.) He also loves animals, especially felines. Lance is not sure of his future plans, but wishes to attend Cornell or Princeton University.



RONALD ALBERT

103 Watson Avenue

Ronny is one of our quiet, friendly students. He came to Arts High School from Weequahic High School. In his spare time Ronny enjoys practicing his trumpet, piano and clarinet. Outside of school he has his own dance band. Although music takes up most of his leisure hours, he has found time to be employed at the Food Fair. After graduation Ronnie's greatest ambition is to attend Trenton State Teachers College.

DOMINICK ANASTASIO

214 Twelfth Avenue

Dom came to Arts from South Eighth Street School in February, 1954. He's a guy who is liked by all because he has such a nice personality and is so easy to get along with. Dom did not find too much time for extracurricular activities, for he was successfully working after school at an auto store. Dom would like to continue his education after graduation. He is going to work at radio and television repair in order to earn money.

PATRICIA BALVAGE

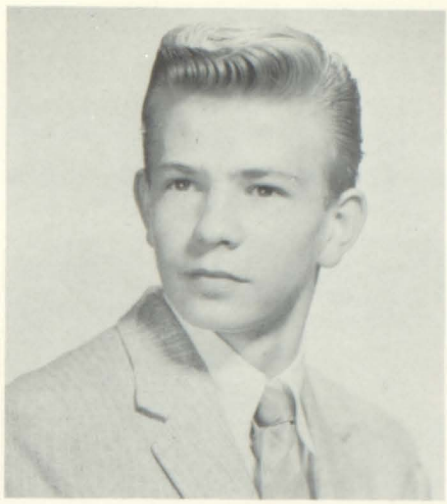
113 South Sixth Street

"Mumbles" is a quiet, reserved individual. Although she has a part time job at Ohrbach's, she has taken an active part in the Spanish Club, the Junior Red Cross Club, the Pottery Club, the Science Club, and the *Vignette*. Also Mumbles managed to keep her name on the Honor Roll at all times. "The students and teachers at Arts," says Pat, "are the best that Newark has to offer." Pat plans to fulfill her ambition to become a fashion illustrator.

There are two ways to go down in school: by failing, or by using the stairs.

ELAINE M. BAUNHUBER

CATHERINE BIANK



JOHN BRENNER

ELAINE M. BAUNHUBER *480 South Thirteenth Street*

Elaine has been a member of the Student Council, *Scope*, Art Service Club and Orchestra, as well as being vice-president of the National Honor Society, Future Teachers of America, and Junior Red Cross, and being editor-in-chief of the *Vignette*. Because of these services she was awarded an "A" pin. Her outside activities are teaching Sunday School and working in the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Elaine's future plans are to attend the Carnegie Institute of Technology.

CATHERINE BIANK *358 South Seventh Street*

Pint-sized "Shorty" may be small in size but she makes a significant impression on everyone she meets. Her bubbling personality and infectious giggle have helped her to win many friends here at Arts. Since coming from Saint Ann's four years ago, she has made rapid strides, particularly in her stenography and typing classes. Although she enjoys being carefree and gay, she is quite a business woman—a loyal employee of the Prudential Insurance Company. She plans to secure a permanent position there after graduation.

JOHN BRENNER *715 Sandford Avenue*

Johnny is one of our quiet and friendly students. He came to Arts as a freshman from Saint Rose of Lima Grammar School. In his spare time Johnny has been an active member of the Newark Athletics Club and the YM-YWCA. Since sports play an important part in his life Johnny joined the track team and swimming team at Arts. He is at present employed at Lum, Fairlie and Foster, counselors at law. After graduation he plans to attend Rutgers University.

VERA BROWN *1 Somerset Street*

During her four years at Arts High, Vee's main objective was to get a well rounded education. Besides her studies, she found time to participate in such activities as the FTA, the Junior Red Cross, the Student Council, and the Sewing Club. She takes an active part in the Girls' Friendly Society at her Church, enjoys playing the piano, and keeps up with the latest dance steps. Her greatest ambition is to attend a teachers' college to prepare for a career in educating others.

ROGERS BRYANT *112 Tichenor Street*

Rogers came to Arts in 1953 after graduating from Oliver Street School. She has made many friends during her stay here, and has shown her school spirit by participating in the Sewing Club, of which she was treasurer, the Typing Club, and the Modern Dance Club. In her spare time, she reads or listens to disc jockey programs. In school, she enjoys the captain-ball games in gym. After graduating, she plans to work in an office as a stenographer.

VERA BROWN

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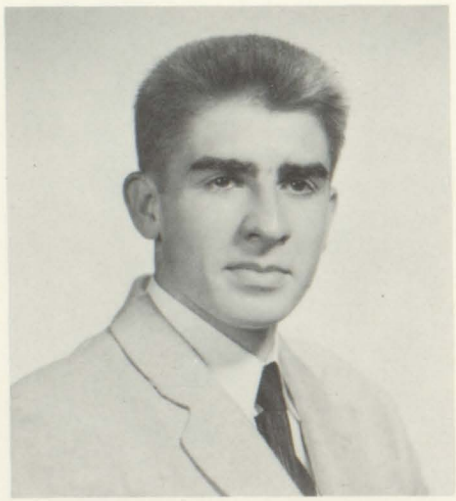


BLAINE CHAMBERS

JACQUELINE COOKE

LYDIA CAETANO *185 South Ninth Street*

Lee's sunny smile brightens even the dullest moments. Her extracurricular activities have included participation in the Spanish Club and the *Scope*. She also served as president of the junior class. Now, during her few leisure hours, Lee enjoys listening to records, dancing and . . . boys. Her part time job at Bamberger's provides her with that additional financial assistance that every girl can use. Lee plans to attend a secretarial school after graduation.

ROBERT CALABRESE *399 North Twelfth Street*

Cal is a boy who can brighten the dullest moment, make you laugh when you feel like crying, and be a true friend to anyone who needs him. Along with his cheerful grin, his school spirit has shown brightly due to his playing basketball and participating on dance committees. Bob came to Arts as a freshman, and everyone that has known him during these four years will remember Bob whenever they recall humorous situations. We're certain Cal will succeed anywhere.

FRANCINE CARUSO *86 Lincoln Avenue*

Francine is one of our quiet, but fun-to-be-with students. She came to Arts as a sophomore from Webster Junior High. Since then, she has been particularly interested in her art work and in stenographic studies. Working part time at Bamberger's Department Store didn't leave much time for extracurricular activities. She has chosen stenography as the work she wishes to do after graduation. We are sure that her vivacious personality and ability will make her a credit to Arts.

BLAINE CHAMBERS *518 South Twentieth Street*

"Gas" came to Arts High as a freshman from South Seventeenth Street School. He isn't very fond of school, and is often heard saying, "Weekends, holidays, lunch periods and study periods interest me most." In his spare time he enjoys playing ball with his pals. After graduation, he plans to enlist in the Navy. He has made many friends in his four years, and we hope that he finds success and happiness in his newly chosen career.

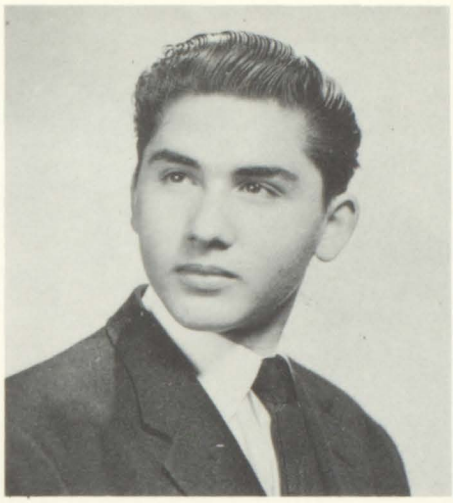
JACQUELINE COOKE *89 Wilson Avenue*

Jacqueline, better known as "Cookie", came from Madison Junior High School in Florida. Her main claim to fame is her diligent effort as a Scope member, which brought her to the position of editor. In her very limited spare time, Jackie enjoys painting. Naturally the fact that she has a keen sense of humor and a vivacious personality, has contributed greatly to her success. After leaving Arts, Jackie plans to round out her education at Katharine Gibbs Secretarial School.

SAMUEL CRAFT

702 High Street

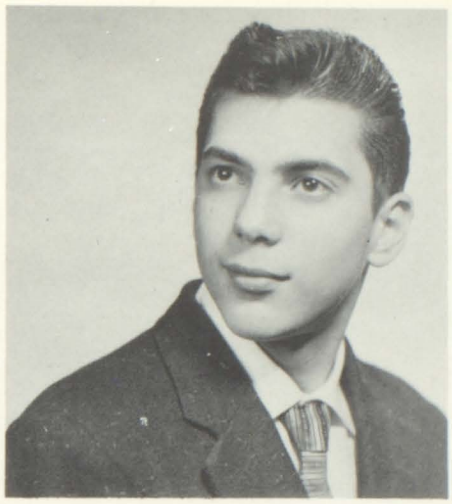
Sam is a shy individual with a pleasant personality and a smile for everyone. Since coming to Arts High from Monmouth Street School, he has been a music student participating in various musical activities. He is a member of the Band, of the Arts High Chorus, and of the All-State Chorus. In his leisure, he likes to play trumpet or to watch television. After graduation, Sam plans to work and later to join a branch of the Armed Services.



ISADORE D'AMICO

188 South Tenth Street

Isadore, better known as Sid, came to Arts in September, 1953 from South Eighth Street School. Since then, he has participated in such extracurricular activities as the Band and the Orchestra. In his spare time, Sid enjoys doing motion picture photography. The music and the science classes of Arts have been a special treat for him. Ambitious Sid is presently employed at the Paramount Theater. He will, however, leave this position after graduation in order to enlist in the Navy.

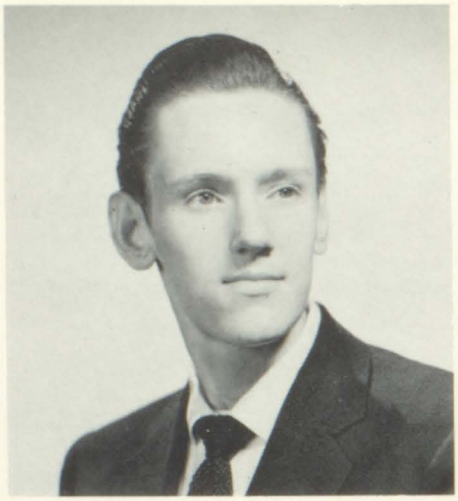


ANTHONY De LUCA

190 Jefferson Street

"Duke" came to Arts with a desire to further his music career. Since then he has fulfilled his ambition both in academic work and in extracurricular activities, having served in both the Band and the Orchestra. Now he has a new goal to attain: a degree from Rutgers University. Aside from his school activities, Tony works part-time in a pharmacy. Despite his busy schedule "Duke" still is a favorite among the girls. With his friendly smile he's always ready to lend a helping hand.

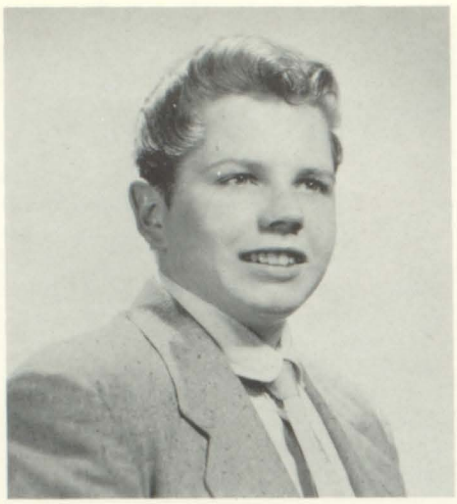
A pinch from each little cup. Be careful or the school'll blow up!



JOHN DOLAN

23 Hawthorne Lane South

John is a quiet boy who goes about his tasks in an easy-going manner, making friends with many classmates. Since coming to Arts High from St. Francis Xavier, he has participated in the Student Council activities and has been a member of the *Vignette* Staff. He has enjoyed his art classes and has done well in them. He received a design award for one of his posters. Although he is currently employed at S .Klein on-the-Square, he's undecided about his future plans. He hopes to attend college.



JOSEPH DOWLING

46 Elliott Street

Joe came to Arts from Our Lady of Good Counsel in 1953. He is a pleasant person who has made many friends among both teachers and students. In school, he enjoyed the fine assembly programs and at home, he enjoys listening to the radio, particularly rock 'n' roll. He also likes television and an occasional trip to the movies. Reading about cars is another of his pastimes. After graduation, Joe will attend either Seton Hall or Saint Peter's.

BARBARA ANN ELY

54 Goble Street

Cheerful and always smiling "De De" came to us from Irving High School, in New York. She has been active in many extracurricular activities, including the Photography Club, the Pottery Club, the Art Service Club, and the Girls' Captain-ball Team. Outside of school her main interest is deep-sea fishing. She will always remember the assemblies, the friendly teachers, and all the friends she has made here. After graduation she plans to enroll in a school offering a program of specialized training in art.

"Yes Marietta, we see the horse, but we're not convinced the horse will draw the wagon."

DOROTHY EVERS

BARBARA FRANCIOLI

GLORIA FUDGE

DOROTHY EVERS *363 South Seventh Street*

Dottie is a girl whose sense of humor helps her to get along well with everybody. She has served as a member of the Student Council and the Spanish Club. Her name has frequently been found in the chatter column of the *Scope*. It was often said, in jest, that she was the president of the Mickey Mouse Club. She now has a part time job in the Prudential Insurance Company, and is considering the possibility of seeking a career in the business world.

BARBARA FRANCIOLI *73 Schofield Street*

Barbara, otherwise known to her friends as Bobbie, is one of our attractive, popular, personality girls. She came to us as a freshman from Ivy Street School. Chorus, Student Council, Operetta Club and Scope have kept her after-school hours rolling. She likes to sing, roller skate, or bowl in her spare time. She will always remember the musical programs and friends that she's made here at Arts. Barbara hopes to secure a position in the secretarial field after graduation.

GLORIA FUDGE *1971 McCarter Highway*

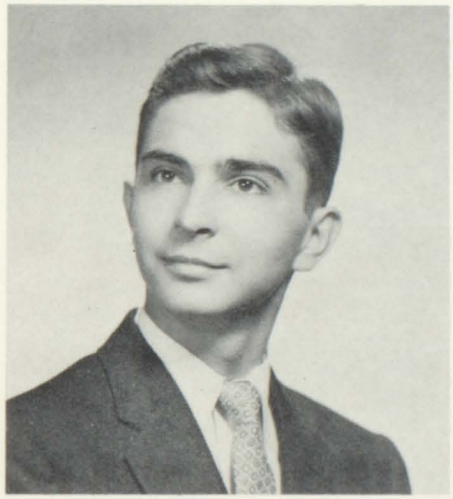
Gloria came to us from Barringer High School in 1955. In the short time she has been at Arts, she has become an outstanding member of the Junior Red Cross and the Sewing Club. In addition to her school activities, Gloria is in the NAACP Youth Council and the Junior League, and is also a member of her church choir. She would like to become a teacher and wishes to attend Montclair State Teachers College.

ARTHUR GOETZ *767 Ridge Street*

Arthur came to Arts High School in his sophomore year, from Columbia High School. Since that time he has been elected to the National Honor Society and participated in the Boys' Glee Club, the Operetta Club, and the *Scope*. In his spare time he enjoys playing the piano and the organ. The thing Arthur has enjoyed most about our school has been the voice class. To attain his ambition to enter the ministry, he will attend Wagner College after graduation.

JANE GOODE *48 Gould Avenue*

Jane has enjoyed the wonderful opportunities and the understanding teachers she had at Arts. She belonged to the Future Teachers of America, Opera Club, *Vignette*, Sewing Club, Spanish Club, Drama Club, and had many interesting experiences working on various committees in the Student Council. She has played a major part in our operas and variety shows. Singing, playing the piano, and acting, take up most of her spare time. Jane plans to attend Oberlin College or New England Conservatory after graduation.



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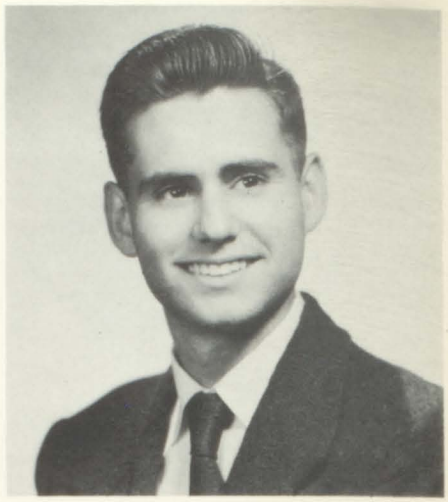


HERBERT GREENBERG

NANCY HICKS

ANN THERESA HOOPER

DELORES HEON — *16 Morton Street*

Though Del has been quiet here at Arts, she will always be remembered by her sweet smile. She has enjoyed making so many friends, and will miss both the friendly atmosphere between teachers and students, and the assemblies. Because she has a job at McCrory's after school, she has not participated in too many extracurricular activities. Outside of school, her main interest is collecting stacks of records. After graduation, she will probably become a secretary, but is still uncertain.

TRINA GUARDI — *125 Fairmount Avenue*

She has been a faithful member of the *Scope*, the Red Cross, the Library Guild, and the Student Council. Her piano playing in the Orchestra and Band, along with her cheerfulness and quick-wit, has made her many friends. She is a holder of the coveted "A" Pin. In the future she hopes to attend Newark State Teachers College, to prepare for teaching in the primary grades. The things she will remember most about her four years at Arts High are the teachers' kindness and willingness to help.

HERBERT GREENBERG — 887 South Sixteenth Street

Few can match Herbie's bright eyes and his wonderful smile. Although an art major, he has, in addition to membership in the Craft Club, participated in the Student Council, and in the Library Guild activities. He is as busy outside of school as he is inside. He belongs to the Epsilon Lambda and to the YMHA. During the summer months, he's employed as a senior counselor at Camp Kiamesha. Herbie hopes to attend Pratt Institute.

NANCY HICKS — *12 Riverview Court*

Nan is as busy as she is beautiful. She's been a member of the Modern Dance Club, the Drama Club, and the Pottery Club. Outside of school, Nan is active in dramatic work, choir singing, and Sunday School teaching. She has always enjoyed the pleasant relationship between the teachers and the students here at Arts. In her spare time, painting, reading, sewing, or rehearsing for a show appeals to her. After graduation, she plans to attend Martland Medical Center Nursing School.

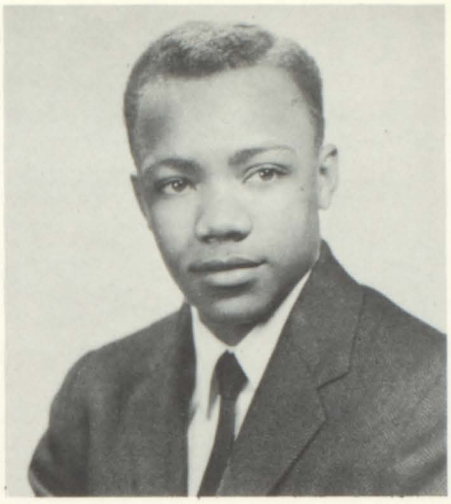
ANN THERESA HOOPER — *167A Pennsylvania Avenue*

Terry is a quiet, pleasant, industrious girl who has devoted much of her spare time to extracurricular activities. Most of her afternoons were spent in the music department, for she loved to work in the Band, the Orchestra, and other musical activities in Arts. She also belongs to a number of organizations such as the YM-YWCA, the Newark Youth Council, and the Baptist Youth Fellowship. After graduation Terry will attend Douglass College where she will study to be a music teacher.

BETTY HUTSON

489 South Seventeenth Street

We'll always remember Betty as shy, quiet, and nice-to-know. She has many friends and has been especially devoted to extracurricular work. Participating in a variety of clubs, such as the Modern Dance Club, Sewing Club, Opera Club, and Student Council has been her greatest happiness, but she enjoyed school dances, lunch periods, and classroom doings too. Betty likes to dance, and she sings with the A Cappella Glee Club. After graduating from Arts, she will attend Morgan State College, Baltimore, Maryland.



TYRONE INGRAM

599 North Fifth Street

Ty came to Arts High from Abington Avenue School. In the four years that he has been here, he actively participated on our swimming team. The thing he likes most about our school is the friendliness of its people. Although during the week he works as a clerk in a confectionery store, he always reverts to art; even if it is only painting signs on Saturdays. His main interest is drafting. To further his ambitions, he hopes to attend the Newark School of Fine and Industrial Art.

JANICE JANOSKI

10-10 Horatio Court

Janice came to Arts High School as a graduate of Hawkins Street School in September, 1953. She has participated in the Pottery Club, the *Scope*, the Drama Club, the Library Guild, and the *Vignette*. She has also served as Treasurer of the Art Service Club Janice enjoys swimming at the YM-YWCA, reading, and painting. Besides giving her time to these activities, Janice has been on the Honor Roll all four years. After graduation she plans to attend college to study fashion design.

Yes, it's true George Washington threw a silver dollar across the Delaware, but I don't think a dollar goes that far nowadays.

BEVERLY JETTER

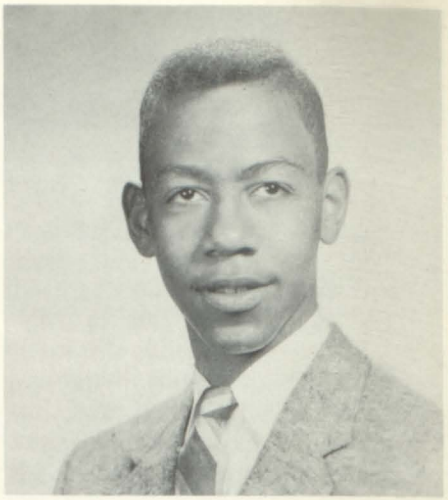
20 School Street

Art has been Bev's favorite subject since she came here in September, 1953. She has been a member of the Sewing Club, the Drama Club, the Student Council, and the Girls' Glee Club. She is the type of person who brightens every conversation with her quick wit, which is hard to surpass. She's always attended school dances and has been an active participant in captainball games and many other fun-filled activities. She is still uncertain about her future, but we think it will be a bright one.

ANGELA LARCERI

298 Hunterdon Street

"Gigs" is a quiet, studious girl who loved to help others when she could. Her extracurricular activities have included participation in Student Council and the *Vignette*. In her spare time she enjoys swimming, dancing, and listening to good music. "Gigs" is very interested in ceramics and bowling. She has enjoyed our well organized assemblies and the friendliness of the teachers and students here. Next fall "Gigs" will enroll in classes at Montclair State Teachers College to fulfill her teaching ambition.

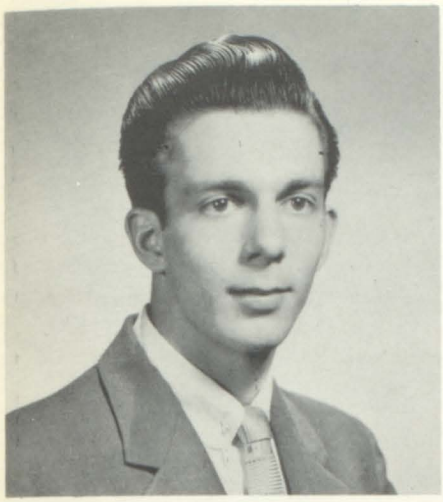


BRYANT LEWIS

116 South Fifteenth Street

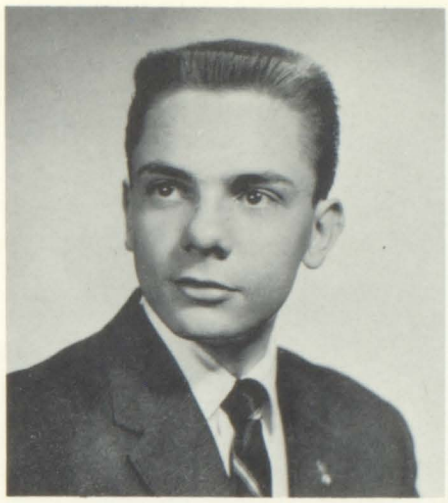
Bryant is a person with no enemies. He likes everybody, including all his teachers. He has been on Arts High's Track Team and in his spare time, he is busy in PAL activities along with doing a little of everything else. Bryant came from Robert Treat Junior High School and before that from Eighth Street School. When asked what he enjoyed most about Arts High School, he replied, "Lunch". Bryant plans to go to work immediately after he graduates.

The Spanish Class, in appropriate costume, visit el merchado, *a social center where one may bargain for farm produce, visit with one's friends or hear the latest news.*



PETER MANCUSO

MARIETTA MAYES



JOEL MELILLO

PETER MANCUSO *284 Garside Street*

Peter, better known as Pete, is a music major. His instruments are the trumpet and the mellophone. Pete participates in the Arts High School Orchestra and Band, and is a member of the dance band, the "Green Jackets". He has represented the school by playing in a small selected group from the music department at the Essex House for the United Appeals Drive. He plays in an outside band for weddings and dances, and plans to enter Montclair State Teachers College after graduation.

MARIETTA MAYES *145½ Summit Street*

Betty came to us from Central Avenue School as a freshman. Her keenest interest here has been art, but she has also enjoyed music and drama. She belonged to the Girls' Glee Club, the Drama Club, and the Modern Dance Club. But these are not her only activities. As a member of the Sewing Club, Spanish Club, and Typing Club, she has done much for Arts High. After graduation she would like to attend Pratt Institute or obtain employment in a business office.

JOEL MELILLO *82 Littleton Avenue*

A good-looking scholar, well-liked by his classmates, and a credit to Arts High School, Cookie used his ability for his own benefit and for that of his school. During his spare time he enjoys listening to the sounds of the great modern jazz artists and playing clarinet. His achievements and activities have included acting as representative at Boys' State, being elected Deputy Mayor of Arts High, serving as president of the National Honor Society, and being an "A" Pin holder. College beckons him.

MICHAEL MELILLO *82 Littleton Avenue*

Michael, alias Mike, is a music major. He is a member of the Arts High School Band, the Orchestra, and the Chorus, and plays with a dance band. His hobbies are collecting albums of modern jazz, and practicing his instruments, which include the piano, trombone, drums, and bass. Mike displays his talents at weddings, and also belongs to an outside dance band. He intends to further his musical interests at Juilliard, and wishes to major in conducting, composing, and arranging.

ROSEANN MENZA *15 Cleveland Avenue*

Roseann, better known to her friends as "Roe", will always be remembered by her cheery smiles. During her four years at Arts she has participated in the Student Council and the Drama Club. During her spare time Roe likes to participate in the sports of bowling and swimming. She has enjoyed the friendliness and the cooperation of the teachers most about Arts. Her outside activities include CYO activities and a very special boy. After graduation Roe hopes to secure a secretarial position.

MICHAEL MELILLO

ROSEANN MENZA

ROSALIE MESMER

SALLY MOYE

MICHELLE NADEAU

ELIZABETH NESSLER

CARL OLCHESKI

ROSALIE MESMER *473 South Tenth Street*

Roe came to us in 1955 as a sophomore from Cleveland Junior High School. Her school interests included *Vignette*, and *Scope*. In her spare time, she finds that swimming is both relaxing and fun. She is also active in church groups; and is interested in teaching Sunday School. Her ambition is to be a secretary to a lawyer. She hopes to train for this job by attending Berkeley Secretarial School. Rosalie says that she would gladly give this plan up for one of matrimony.

SALLY MOYE *271 Waverly Avenue*

Sally is a lovable, peaceful kind of person. She came to Arts High from Cleveland Junior High School in 1954. Sally has been a member of the Girls' Glee Club. As for outside activities, Sally likes to listen to records. She also enjoys dancing, especially learning new steps. Out of all the things there are to do in school, Sally likes to eat lunch and to get out of school at 2:35. After graduation Sally hopes to become a telephone operator.

MICHELLE NADEAU *303 Ridgewood Avenue*

Throughout the school, she has been known as "Mickey", or as one of the Three Musketeers. She has been a member of the *Scope*, the Library Guild, the Drama Club, the Art Service Club, the Pottery Club, and served as secretary-treasurer of the Photo Club. Her interests outside of school are horseback riding, bowling, and skating. She will remember most the dances and the pleasant informality of all her classes. In the future, she hopes to attend Rutgers University where she will major in science.

ELIZABETH NESSLER *38 Hensler Street*

Although Liz is a music major, her most significant contribution to the school has been her service to the *Scope*, of which she is editor-in-chief. Her membership in the Operetta club and in the Spanish club has helped her to get the "A" Pin. Skating and sewing are her favorite pastimes. She is a member of the Three Musketeers, which includes her two closest friends, Mickey and Carole. Liz will attend either Seton Hall University or Newark State Teachers College.

CARL OLCHESKI *731 William Street, Harrison*

Carl is a happy-go-lucky fellow. When you find a happy group of students, that's where you'll find Carl. Although most of his friends are students, Arts' faculty rates high on his list. Coming to Arts High four years ago from Lincoln School in Harrison, Carl has certainly had an enjoyable experience that will never be forgotten. Though he is undecided about plans for future years, Carl will definitely be able to adjust to any circumstances.

MARIA OSINSKA

726 South Eighteenth Street

"Marika" came to Arts High in her junior year from Saint Basil's Academy. During this time, she has made many friends with her happy-go-lucky attitude and friendly smile, and says she has never been happier. Her extracurricular activities have included the Band, the *Scope*, and the Library Guild, while her leisure time is spent in playing the clarinet or working with her church's youth groups and Sodality. Marika wants to attend college, but is undecided as to which one.

PAUL PELLICANO

115 South Seventh Street

Tall, handsome, and talented are hardly the words to describe Paul. He spends his spare time playing in the school dance band and increasing his musical interest in Schillinger. Besides having girls occupy most of his leisure time, he has been a member of the Student Council, the Band, and the Orchestra. He has enjoyed the musical events and friendliness of the teachers during his four years here at Arts. "Whatchamacallit", his favorite expression, always comes in handy. Paul plans to attend college after graduation.

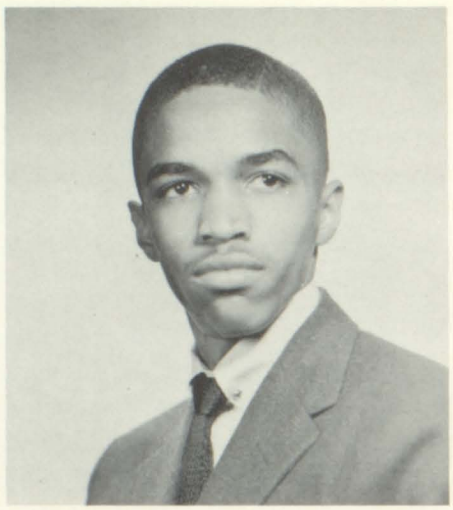
ANN PITTS

1925 McCarter Highway

"Pittie", with her talent and ability has always managed to find time to be active in extracurricular activities, including the Orchestra, Sewing Club, Student Council, Spanish Club, Operetta Club, and Drama Club. Participating in the Poetry Contest and a dramatic recital proved most exciting for Ann. Although she is kept busy with her dramatic work and school projects, she is able to maintain a position as a dietician's aide at St. Barnabas Hospital. Her ambition is to become an actress.

Public speaking is good because———um———well, that is to say———we———uh———.

CLASS OF JUNE 1957



KENT RHEUBOTTOM

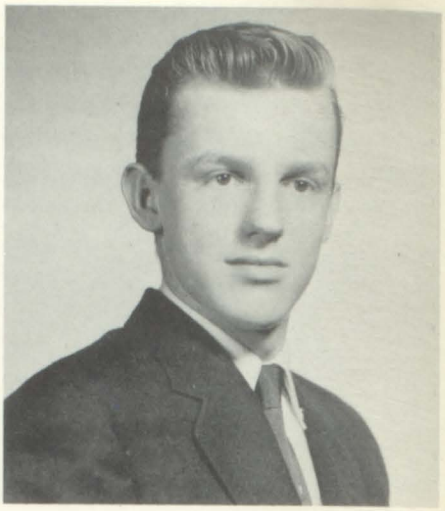
11 Baldwin Street

Kenny came to Arts High from Morton Street School in 1953. He is pleasant and shy, what you might call a man of few words. He participated in a number of extracurricular activities during his stay at Arts. The Student Council, the Baseball Team, and the Craft Club are just a few examples. Throughout his high school years, he also worked at two jobs after school hours. After graduating, he plans to enlist in the United States Air Force.

MARYANN RHUMN

5 Riverview Court

Maryann seems like a quiet girl . . . that is, until you get to know her! Then you discover a wonderful personality and a really keen sense of humor, which blend together to form a friendly, all-around individual. During her four years, Maryann has spent many happy hours after school in activities such as the Pottery and Drama Clubs. Maryann enjoyed "the friendly outlook of the teachers toward students at Arts". Upon graduation she plans to enter the business world.



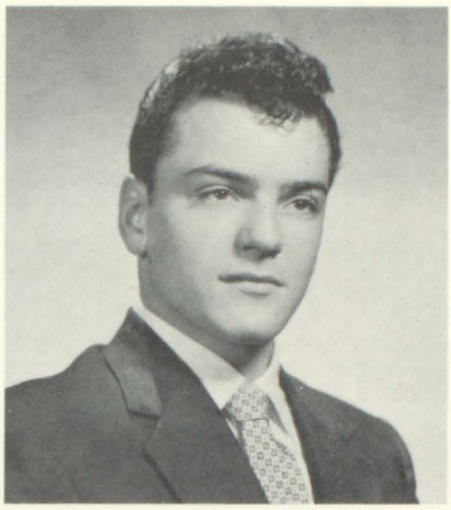
ROBERT ROMASH

37 Riverview Court

Red is a quiet fellow with many friends here at Arts, and his subtle sense of humor has helped to brighten their school days. But he has been content to have only a few close friends and to attend to his studies with a minimum of foolishness. He will always remember the fine programs presented during assembly. He has particularly enjoyed the sincere helpfulness of all his teachers. At the present time, Red has no definite post-graduate plans.

Try to look pleasant, girls; in a moment you may resume your natural expressions.

JUDY ROSENBERG



KENNETH SCHNALL

WINIFRED SHANNON

JUDY ROSENBERG *336 Peshine Avenue*

Judy is an extremely busy girl who enjoys painting in her spare time. She has been an active member of the *Scope* Staff, the Student Council, the Science Club, and the *Vignette*. Judy will always remember the array of friendly, helpful, and concerned teachers she met in Arts. Faculty, students, and assembly programs have contributed to her enjoyment of four wonderful years. We know that after graduation Judy will become an excellent secretary because of her ability and her fine and friendly personality.

KENNETH SCHNALL *270 Garden Road*

Kenny is short, muscular, surprisingly strong, and has a pleasant personality that's hard to beat. Ken came to Arts in his sophomore year from Butler High School. Here he has participated in the Gym Team and in the Student Council activities. He's a member of the New Jersey National Guard. In his leisure hours he also enjoys dancing. He plans to further his art career at Pratt Institute. His ambitious character and creative ability should aid him in attaining success.

WINIFRED SHANNON *230 Orange Street*

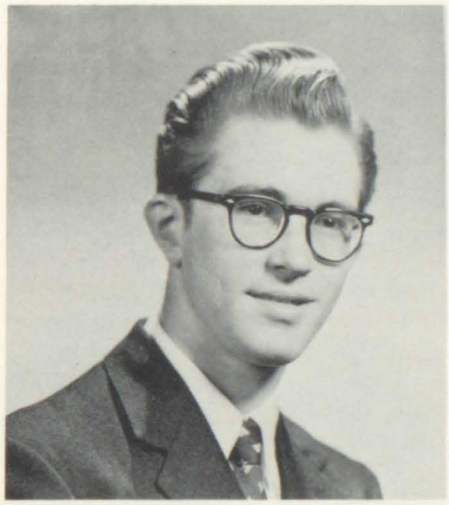
In Midgie, Duchess, or whatever you call her, you'll find a person whose presence in our school has added to its stature. She has been a member of the Student Council, the *Scope*, and the Library Guild. During her years here, Winifred still has had time to enjoy records, dancing, sewing and the presidency of a social club. At Arts, however, she has enjoyed her art classes most. After graduation she plans to attend a fashion institute to further her art career.

DONALD SITEK 87 Nineteenth Avenue

Don has been a member of the Stage Crew for the past three years. His favorite pastimes are certainly not unusual. They are sports, with baseball holding the top spot. Don is the shy, quiet type who is happiest when confronted by a large piece of chocolate cream pie. Don has not yet made plans for his post-graduate activities. He will undoubtedly be a success in whatever he chooses to do, be it entering the business world or attending college.

MICHAEL SLIVCHAK *702 South Nineteenth Street*

Mike came to Arts High in September, 1953, as a freshman. Since then little has been changed, for he is still the tall, dark haired boy who in his own quiet way is loads of fun. Mike never seemed to find time for any extracurricular activities. Outside of school, he likes to go hunting and fishing. His art work, of outstanding quality, often shows his love for wild life. Mike isn't sure of his plans for the future.



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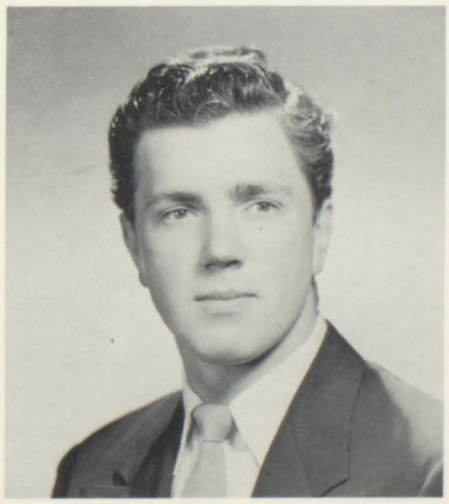

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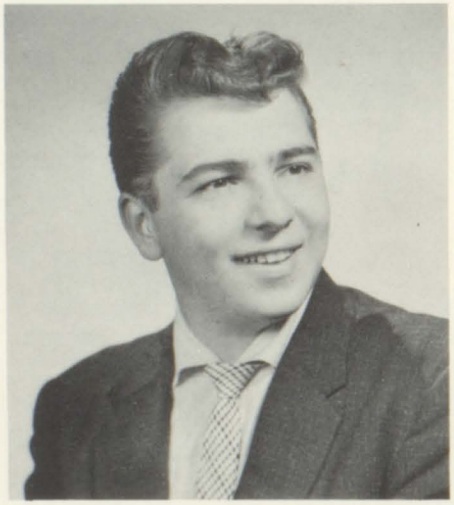
CAROLE ANN SUESSER



ANTHONY TROIANO

ALFRED VOLPE

ADDIE SPRINKLE *667 High Street*

Addie, alias "Drip", is anything but! She not only has a wonderful sense of humor, but also genuine school spirit, for in her Arts High career, she's belonged to the Junior Red Cross, the Sewing Club, the Student Council, the Typing Club, and was a typist for our school paper, the *Scope*. Outside of school, she participated in the Junior Leaguers. As for her future, she's not positive yet, but she's considering teaching secondary school mathematics.

MARIE STROTHER *113 Lillie Street*

Although Marie came to Arts in her sophomore year, she immediately became one of us. She has enjoyed her participation in the Junior Red Cross, the Future Teachers of America, the Pottery Club, and many other extracurricular activities. Outside of school, she is a member of the YWCA, and teaches Sunday School. After graduation, Marie intends to do work in the clerical field to help finance her studies in one of the New Jersey state teachers colleges. We know that she will surely succeed.

CAROLE ANN SUESSER *127 South Munn Avenue*

Four years ago Carole graduated from Alexander Street Grammar School and came to Arts High. Since that time, she has not only become an editor of our school newspaper, the *Scope,* but also a member of the Library Guild, the Photo Club, the Drama Club, and the *Vignette*. Whenever she describes an unusually exciting event she'll exclaim, "It was a riot!" And many was the time she shared these "Riots" with her close friends Mickey and Liz . . . better known as The Three Musketeers.

ANTHONY TROIANO *52 Halleck Street*

Anthony, better known as "Tony Troy", is an agreeable and sociable student. He has demonstrated his musical talent to everyone through his trumpet playing at most of our dances, operas, and concerts. Cherishing music, music, and more music as his favorite among Arts' activities, he has served as a member of the Band, the Orchestra and the Chorus. His outside interests include baseball, YM-YWCA activities, automobiles, and more music. Tony plans to enter Montclair State Teachers College in the fall.

ALFRED VOLPE *209 Third Street*

Al is a mischievous guy with a touch of the flirt in him. He's always ready to joke or tease, but just as ready to give you what help he can, when you need it. He is an active member of our basketball team and devotes his spare time to baseball, dancing, and dating. Al doesn't expect to go to college, but plans to further his career in art by getting a job which deals with color reproductions and silk screen work.

HENRIETTA WATTS

31 Darcy Street

Hank came to Arts from Wilson Avenue School. She fascinates Servicemen with her long letters. At school, Hank has been a participant in the Variety Show each year. The public has also had the privilege of seeing her dance to Hawaiian melodies. White Jaguars and yachts interest her, as do crossword puzzles and boys. Henrietta's pleasant smile and friendly hello will be missed when she leaves. After graduating, Hank plans to study at the Traphagen School of Fashion and Illustration.

JUDITH WILLIAMS

122 South Fifteenth Street

Here is a girl who devoted most of her spare time to extracurricular activities. Judy belonged to the Library Guild, Future Teachers of America, Sewing Club, *Scope*, and Typing Club. When she is not participating in these activities or doing her homework, Judy likes to practice stenography and the piano. Judy enjoyed our operas, concerts, Christmas Fairs, and her history classes more than anything else. When she graduates, Judy plans to do office work or to attend a business school.

CAROL WOOTEN

183 Woodside Avenue

Carol is a tall, friendly, attractive blonde. She is an animal-lover who enjoys her pet monkey, trains her collie, and goes horseback riding. She also likes to go ice skating and bowling. While at Arts she has written for the *Scope* and was a member of the Science Club. A part time job at Bamberger's has kept her busy the rest of her time. After graduation, Carol hopes to revisit California and to become a private secretary.

RACHEL ZINN

189 Norman Road

"Shelly" has devoted many after-school-hours to Arts. Her extracurricular activities have included the Student Council, Library Guild, Christmas Fair Committee, Drama Club, and Chorus. Much of her time outside of school is spent in "Y" work, in dramatic activities, or in part-time employment. During her four years here she has found much enjoyment in informal class discussions, and lunch time antics. Because of her determination in seeking and achieving goals, we know she'll fulfill her chosen ambition.

POPULARITY

All-Round Student

Joel Melillo
Elaine Baunhuber

Best Looking

Andrew Di Martino
Jackie Cooke

Best Scholar

Joel Melillo
Elaine Baunhuber

Best Figure

Kenneth Schnall
Henrietta Watts

Best Dancer

Robert Calabrese
Henrietta Watts

Best Musician

Peter Mancuso
Trina Guardi

Best Personality

Paul Pellicano
Helen Mosier

Best Artist

Andrew Di Martino
Marietta Mayes

Best Dressed

Joseph Manzi
Barbara Francioli

Best Athlete

Kenneth Schnall
Betty Hutson

POLL

Most Likely to Succeed

Joel Melillo
Vera Brown

Biggest Flirt

Robert Calabrese
Francine Caruso

Most Popular

Joel Melillo
Lydia Caetano

Class Clown

Paul Pellicano
Marietta Mayes

Quietest

John Dolan
Pat Balvage

Dreamer

John Dolan
Marietta Mayes

Noisiest

Anthony Troiano
Marietta Mayes

Tallest

John Brenner
Janice Janoski

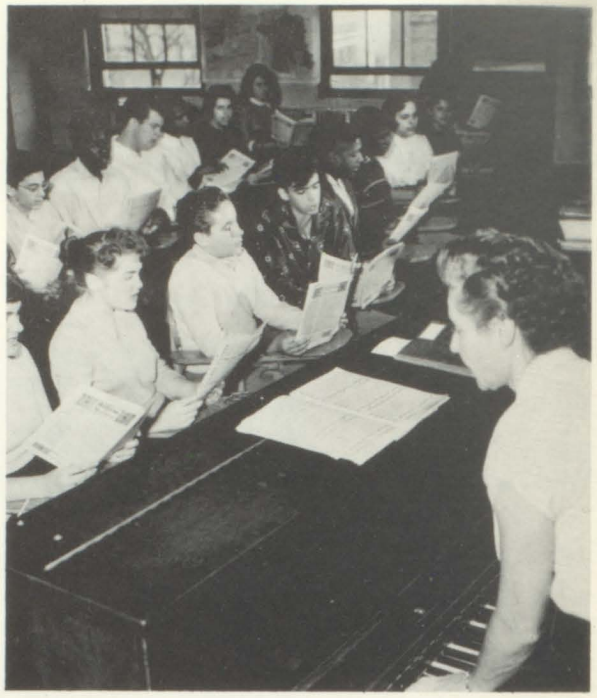
Bookworm

Lance Andersen
Elaine Baunhuber

Smallest

Anthony De Luca
Catherine Biank

Mrs. Hopper helps Andy Di Martino with the floor plans for our new gym. (Wishful thinking!)



Class, we still need the "do".

HERE

THERE

Proper attention and adequate preparation would have made this test a breeze.

Everyone is reaching for the right answer.

Mr. Kappstatter's dictation isn't that hard to take???

"An amoeba is a one-celled animal, and sometimes man is," teases Mr. Perry.

EVERYWHERE

AND

Everything's just sew-sew.

"There're still a lot of squares left," Mr. Steisel hints.

Mrs. Walsh—"Kenny, when I see your sketches, I stand and wonder." Kenny—"How I do them?" Mrs. Walsh—"No, why you do them."

CHRISTMAS

"And they came with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe."

"And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger."

"And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joys."

The Christmas Fair is the event to which parents, alumni, and friends are invited to come to buy the wares that various classes have made, and to enjoy the Christmas music and the pageant, the feature of every Fair. Cookies, cakes, sewing articles, ceramics and jewelry are sold to the many prospective buyers. Everyone takes part in this program including the members of the Chorus, of the Orchestra, and of the Tableaux. The Christmas Fair is certainly one of many affairs that we seniors will long remember.

FAIR

"I'll take this one . . . wait, maybe that one . . . oops, I know, I'll buy them both!"

"Sell them, don't keep them!", commands Mrs. Cross.

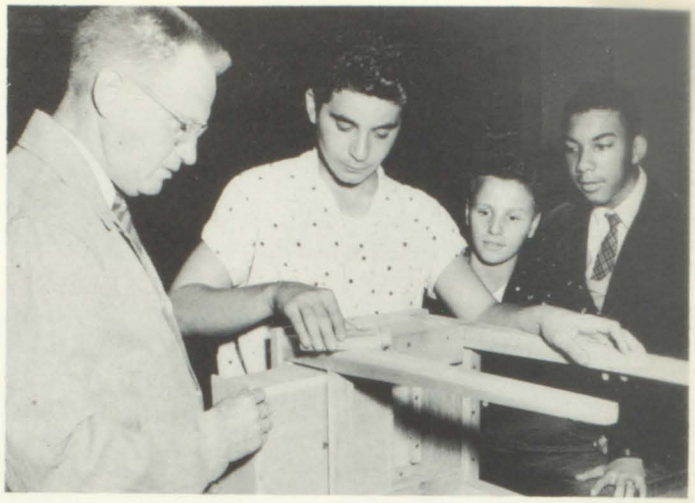
"They're all so nice, I don't know which to choose."

And admiring audience gathers as Mr. Spindler skillfully does a portrait.

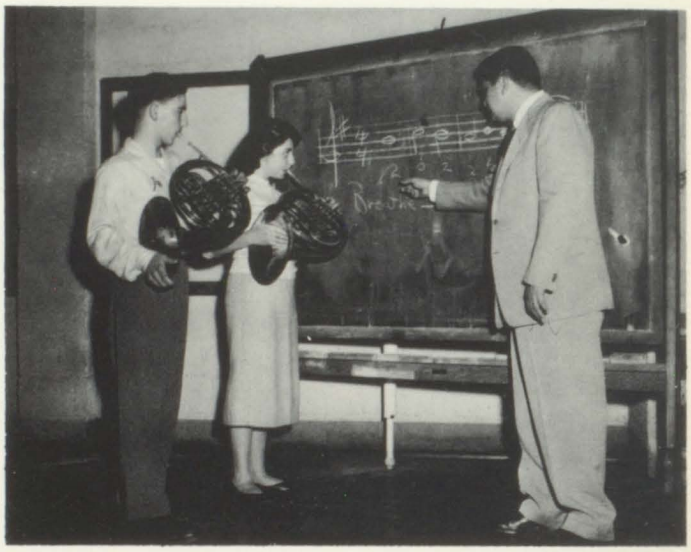
TO KNOW

"Heavens, someone knows the answer!" exclaims Mr. Morris.

"Let's stop fiddling around and get to work," suggests Mr. Pesile.



Mr. Gannon helps take a chip off the old block.



In the beginning — ugh! Sound but no music.

"Playing" around with English is fun.

AND DO

ACTIVITIES

After the day is over, and all the work is through, man must put aside his concerns and pressures to enjoy himself in play. This is an essential part of his make-up. The ancient Greeks had their gods, and many there were, to lead them as they banded together for sport, drama, music, and art. To them physical expression and perfection were of utmost importance—thus we see Apollo, the sun god and athlete, Diana, the huntress, and Terpischore, the Muse of Dance, sharing high places of regard. Aside from serious play, there was also a lighter, facetious type of the Bacchus nature. Yet, the more intellectual play was not neglected, as shown from the splendid Comedies and Tragedies, poems and books and works of art preserved through the centuries to our present year.

Even though people today don't worship gods such as Terpischore or Diana, still they believe earnestly in what the gods of past history stood for.

At Arts the varied clubs stand for one form of good entertainment. And through them, as did the Greeks, we grow in health, character, and happiness.

Left to right: Mr. Misurell, Victor Huljack, Richard Shanks, Sheldon Sauders, Thomas George, Robert Vale, Edward Kleinsorgen, Fred Warner, and Ed Wydareny.

STAGE CREW

With the aid of Mr. Misurell, the Stage Crew members are in charge of the technical work behind the scenes. Before any production is put into rehearsal, the stage crew is consulted about the scenery, the lighting, and the use of the microphones. Motion picture projectors which are used in different classrooms for educational purposes are operated by this faithful group. Its diligent workers are indispensible to the student body and faculty of Arts High.

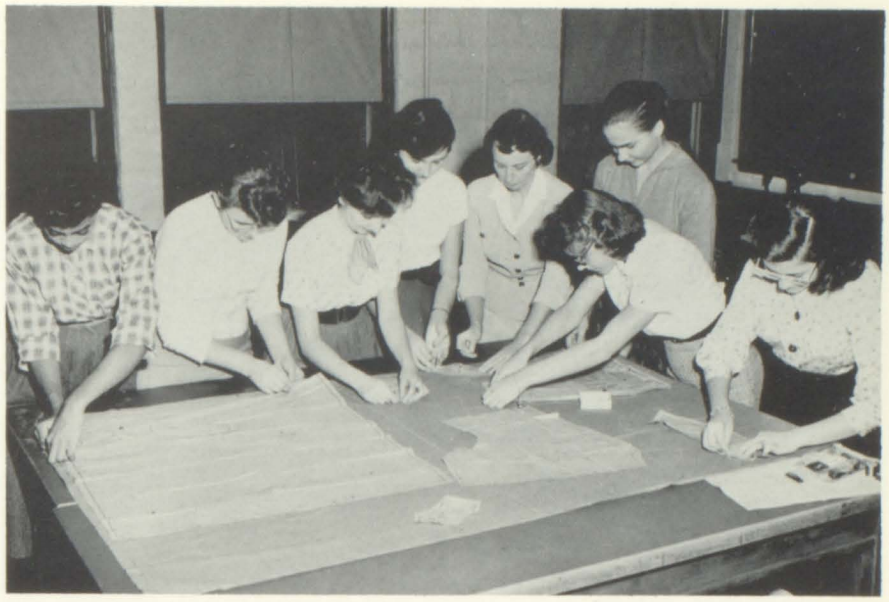
LIBRARY GUILD

Library Guild members are vital to the smooth and efficient service afforded us by our library. They generously devote their time, during and after school, to assist our librarian, Miss Lehlbach. They help students locate the reference tools, receive and charge material, and care for the magazines, books, and clippings. The Guild provides good background for those interested in becoming librarians.

Seated, left to right: Nadina Ailes, Rachel Zinn, Virginia Zaleski, Trina Guardi, Eugens Geldziler, Stanley Steinmark, Vera Brown, Ina Hoffman. Standing, first row: Judy Williams, Linda Ross, Maria Osinska, Mary Ann Kanyock, Joan Freiwald, Mary Loatman, Josephine Scardaville, Gail Lund, Mary Cantella, Miss Lehlbach. Standing, second row: Nancy Griffin, Pasquale Spano, Gloria Fudge, Carole Suesser, Joan Lombardi, Lorna Riley, Penny McManus, Elizabeth Nessler, Donald Mazzella, Kathy Karpinski.

SEWING CLUB

The Sewing Club, which is limited to fifteen members, meets every Tuesday under the direction of Mrs. Hiller. The members are girls who are especially interested in sewing. Not only do they create fashionable items for themselves but they also design things to be sold at the Christmas Fair and to be given to charitable organizations.



Left to right: Gloria Fudge, Rosalie Varela, Geraldine Mitchell, Barbara Lehto, Mrs. Hiller, Oksana Maslevic, Alice Zukowski, and Ricardina Da Silva.

CRAFT CLUB

The purpose of the Craft Club is to introduce a variety of craft techniques to those students who are interested in working with such materials as metal, stone, and wire. Under the direction of Mr. Landsman, the club undertakes several projects, the products of which are sold at the annual Christmas Fair. Considerable time is spent in making copper jewelry and trinkets, and in polishing and setting stones.

Left to right: Kenneth Kaplowitz, Susan Lulic, Janice Lovvorn, Leonard Rumbinas, Virginia Beazlie, Robert Salgueiro, and Donald Harris.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

Each home room sends two representatives to the Red Cross Club. Among their many activities are designing and making party favors for nurseries and hospitals. They also send gift boxes overseas and supply food and supplies to migrant families. Miss Kruck is their advisor and the group meets on Monday afternoons.

Left to right: Carole Hawes, Vera Brown, Andrew Del Preore, Linda Garcia, Patricia Manning, Nancy Griffin, Grace Stanley, Addie Sprinkle, Ricardina Da Silva, Rosalie Klotz, James Carboy, and Janet Brown.

Standing, left to right: Mr. Pickett, Jane Goode, Ronald Winston, Theresa Hooper, Kenneth Lancin, Laurence Adams, Oreleen Orr, Bohdanna Rycar, Dennis Skolski, Sophie Sigouris, Daisy Nolan, Pat Reed. Seated: Elmira King, Rosetta Martin, Joan Lombardi, Marguerite Aguilar, Eva Tyler.

OPERETTA CLUB

Members of the Operetta Club are chosen on the basis of their ability and interest. Anyone who desires the opportunity to continue serious voice study may audition. Under the direction of Mr. Pickett and assisted by Mrs. Shapiro, the Operetta Club has produced the operettas "Down in the Valley", "The Mikado", and "The Lowland Sea". Presented annually, each spring, these productions are enjoyed by students, teachers, parents, alumni and friends.

POTTERY CLUB

Miss Howe's Pottery Club meets every Friday in the basement where the members lose themselves in making ceramic objects. After firing and glazing their work, the members get even more enjoyment from showing the handicraft to their friends in other clubs.

Left to right: Mario Abate, Josephine Scardaville, Nancy Karpinski, Marianne Miserendino, David Zambelli, Edward Rostiac, Maryanne Squillaro, Jane Goode, Dahlia Krouk, Miss Howe, Kathy Fabricatore, Mary Cantella, Salvatore Girgenti.

SCOPE

The SCOPE, our newspaper, publicizes school and extra-curricular events. Up-to-date pictures and interviews with important personalities appear in each issue, as well as the latest in chatter, fashions, and sports. The staff, with Mr. Rickenbacher as its faculty advisor, has done a very commendable job. They always have a publication fit for a successful, thriving school.

Carol McCoy, Trina Guardi, Leonard Ludovico, Mr. Rickenbacher, Elizabeth Nessler, Elaine Baunhauber, John Dolan, Richard Hilser, Andrew Yskamp.

First row, seated, left to right: Virginia Zaleski, John D'Andrea, Stanley Jackson, Barbara Richter, Clarence Booker, Ronald Booker, Ronald Winston, Vincent Prockelo, Peter Mancuso, Adam Ziobro, Barbara Bonnet, Robert Kane, Theresa Hooper. Second row, seated left: Thor Woronchuk, Joseph Scaduto, Lorenzo Gilliam, George Piegari. Second row, seated right: Philip Ceraulo, Philip Nicastro, Thomas Fitzsimmons, Robert Fleischman, Eugene Dombrowski. Third row, seated right: Martin Yashinski, James Carboy, Ronald Shipley. Standing, left to right: Jeffrey Du Clos, Anthony Villanova, Robert De Salvo, Terry Elman, George Piegaro, Curtis Hamilton, Vincent Zannelli, Paul Pellicano, Gary Pittman, Sam Norton, Sam Craft, Anthony De Luca, Mr. D'Amico, Michael Melillo, Pat Spino, Anthony Troiano, James Yachnik, Lawrence Crawley, Leonard Ludovico, Anthony Alfano, Irving Zeidner, Anthony Armento, Joseph Palmucci, Frank Jacoby, Jay Serco, Michael Lallone.

BAND

The Arts High School Band has been in existence since the Music Department originated. It is well equipped with players and instruments. The members play for assemblies as well as for the Winter and Spring Concerts and the United Appeals Campaign Dinners. The regular meeting days are Thursday and Friday at 2:35. Mr. D'Amico is the manager as well as the conductor.

DRAMA CLUB

The Dramatic Club is the oldest established club in Arts High School. It was organized by Mrs. Cozzens and meets every Tuesday at 2:35 in Room 313. Its aims are to promote poise and self confidence as well as to afford opportunities for dramatic experience. The Club participates in many school activities and produces many skits for the benefit of members and visitors. The group also plays an important part in the Christmas nativity scenes.

Director: Alma Esposito. Performers: John Kayse, Helmar Cooper, Josephine Scardaville, Mario Abate. First row, seated, left to right: Kevin Marks, Darlene Golardi, Binnie Adolf, Patricia Karwacki, Lois Brown, Lilli Anne Yanow, Natalie Maslivec, Dagmara Kubischke. Second row, standing: Ronald Seeley, Sam Norton, David McDonald, Rachel Zinn, Mary Cantella, Elizabeth Giglio, Robert Schubin, Judy Bator, Joan Lombardi, Alice Grohowski, Louis Gasparinetti, Kenneth Kaplowitz.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council is composed of two representatives from each home room and one from each club. Each Thursday, under the direction of Mrs. Longley and Mr. Rickenbacher, members meet to submit suggestions for improvements in the government of the student body, or to prepare for the variety shows, dances, and freshman orientations.

First row, left to right: Sandra Worsky, Ricardina Da Silva, Patricia Anderson, Judy Williams, Elaine Baunhuber, Joel Melillo, Joseph Dorbin, Roberta Holder, David McDonald, Dagmara Kubische, Patricia Reed. Second row: Joseph Manzi, Lynne Ilaria, Judy Kirchmayr, Vera Brown, Helmar Cooper, Emma Williams, Dolores Rich, Rachel Zinn, Virginia Zaleski, Rosalie Klotz, Richard Shanks, John Nigro, Andrew Del Preore, Barbara Moldofsky, Isaiah Cooper, Mr. Rickenbacker, Andrew Yskamp, Jane Goode. Last row: Judy Bator, Mary Cantella, Mary Anne Squillaro, Adele Eisenberg, Helen Mosier, Addie Sprinkle, Trina Guardi, Jackie Cooke, Elizabeth Squitieri, Sophie Sigouris, Dominick Marmorato, Winifred Hearns, Andrew DiMartino.

ART SERVICE CLUB

The Art Service Club, under the management of Mrs. Hopper, meets every Tuesday morning, at 8:00. Its art work can be seen in posters and bulletin board displays as well as in the SCOPE. The major problem of the club is the designing of the annual calendar and the planning of the reception for the Free Lance Exhibition.

Front row, left to right: Maryann Hood, Caroline Knakiewicz, Pat Manning, Rosalie Klotz, Eva Tyler, Dolores Koval. Second row: Lynne Ilaria, Mrs. Hopper, Carole Wrubel, Diana Pomerleau, Joseph Gualtieri, Marian Rowe, Stanley Friedman, Georgiann Crist, Nancy Karpinski, Camille Deo.

Seated, from left: Preston Barham, Jerry Sarapochiello, Lloyd Henry, James Carboy, Paula Jackson, Alice Emans, Ronald Spall, Neil Harris. Standing: Mr. Gannon, George Lorenc, Anthony Senatore, Ben Grier, Victor Huljack, Neil Travisano, Edward Kucinski, Ronald Booker, Anthony Alfano, Andrew Del Preore.

T-SQUARE AND TRIANGLE CLUB

The T-Square and Triangle Club is a perfect outlet for students who are studying to become engineers or architects. Here they are able to gain valuable experience constructing miniature railroads, planes, buildings, and bridges. Mr. Gannon, their director, meets with them on Tuesday afternoons.

ORCHESTRA

The Arts High School Orchestra under the leadership of Mr. Pesile has performed for many school and community functions. Members play for the operas, assemblies, variety shows, special events and dramatic presentations. As a group they have gained recognition throughout the city and as individuals they have won places in the All-State Orchestra.

First row, left to right: Dolores Rich, Ira Kraemer, Irene Ciccone, Ann Campanella, Ann Picillo, Dolores Koval, Lance Andersen, Lois Brown, Peter Rose. Second row: Phylene De Taranto, Eunice El, Melba Smith, Emma Clark, Sophie Sigouris, James Yachnik, Anthony Armento, Robert Kane. Third row: Monica Warnquist, Robert Spall, Trina Guardi, Elaine Baunhuber, Virginia Zaleski, Jeffrey Du Clos, Thor Woronchuk, Edward Green, Anthony Troiano. Fourth row: Alva O'Loughlin, Janice Crooms, Myrna Utley, Carol Poranski, George Piegari, John D'Andrea, Anthony Lordi, Anthony De Luca. Last row: Edward Drennan, Henry Bethea, Paul Pellicano, Isadore D'Amico, Michael Melillo, Edward Kleinsorgen.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Those students who are interested in the technical side of films meet weekly with Mr. Lowry to discuss the latest news in photography. The purpose of the club is to teach people to take better pictures either as a hobby or as a profession. At the end of each term there is a contest with cash prizes for the member who takes the best picture.

Left to right: Ronald Przemelewski, Pasquale Spano, David Zambelli, Salvatore Girgenti, John Paul, Edward Rostiac, Arthur Burns, Jeanette Danel, Gerald Nienaber, Joan Lombardi, Dagmara Kubischke.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

The Girls' Glee Club was organized for art and music students who wish to learn to enjoy and to appreciate good music. The members also benefit from the expert voice training they receive. Under the direction of Mrs. Shapiro, the group sings carols at Christmas time and performs at the evening concerts.

First row, seated, left to right: Mary Lou Albano, Ollie Simmons, Jane Goode, Oreleen Orr, Sophia Sigouris, Marian Deutsche. Second row: Joann Mustachio, Eleanor Chase, Mary McGuinness, Katherine McGuinness, Byrna Jones, Nadina Ailes, Marilyn Bove. Last row: Mrs. Shapiro, Bonnie Loatman, Alice Emans, Marilyn Zondlo, Daisy Nolan, Linda Ross, Elizabeth Woodruff, Carolyn Sabatino, Edna Rainey, Joan Freiwald.

Seated, left to right: David McDonald, Elaine Baunhuber, Sanford Werfel, Mr. Janowitz, Fred Travisano, Jacqueline Cooke, Michael Melillo, Gwendolyn Sims. Standing: Lynne Ilaria, Joel Melillo, Richard Hilser, Patricia Anderson.

FORVM CLVB

The Forum Club, whose advisor is Mr. Janowitz, is a newly organized group in Arts High. The purpose of the club is to familiarize students with the proper and skillful way of discussing topics which appeal to them. The meetings are held Tuesdays after school in Room 113.

FVTVRE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

The members of the Rocco Misurell Chapter of the Future Teachers of America aspire to careers in the teaching profession. Their programs are varied and include such activities as the showing of educational films and discussions of such topics as teacher qualifications, advantages and disadvantages of the occupation, books, school buildings, salary and methods of teaching.

First row, left to right: Mr. Misurell, Marie Strother, Vera Brown, Jane Goode, Elaine Baunhuber. Second row: Richard Shanks, Rosalie Klotz, Nadina Ailes, Berry Knox, Carolyn Simpson, Emma Williams.

TYPING CLVB

The Typing Club is composed of students who are now taking or who have had typing. The chief purposes of the club are to increase speed and to develop accuracy. The members of the Typing Club are eager to type for the teachers and for the SCOPE. The club meets on Wednesdays in Room 213 under the direction of Mrs. Lazar and Mr. Kappstatter.

Seated, first row, left to right: Mary Lou Albano, Bonnie Loatman, Marion Dellaria, Judith Brown. Second row: Mrs. Lazar, Josephine Scardaville, Betty Hutson, Vera Brown, Rita Hermelin, Ricardina Da Silva. Standing: Judy Kirchmayr, Gloria Lewis, Beverly Reid, Janet Doremus, Kathy Fabricatore, Maria Osinska, Mary Cantella, Mary Ann Squillaro, Vinnie Santora, Theresa Maziukiewicz. Back row: Nadia Waskiw, Linda Ross, Geraldine Mitchell, Jo Ann Mustachio, Kathy Karpinski, Virginia Delli Sante.

"A" PIN

The A-Pin, or Arts High's "ambition award" is presented to those students who have completed outstanding work in extra-curricular activities. A-Pin candidates are selected by those already holding the award and these nominees' names are then approved by a majority vote of the Student Council. These students are quite aware of and proud of the fact that they have attained the second highest honor and position of dignity their school can give them.

Seated, left to right: Joan De Rosa, Elaine Baunhuber, Virginia Zaleski. Back row: Patricia Anderson, Elizabeth Nessler, Joel Melillo, Judy Williams, Kathy Karpinski, Trina Guardi, Roberta Holder, Betty Hutson, Lance Andersen.

Left to right: Eugene Geldziler, Fred Travisano, Dennis Anniballi, Miss Myerson, Roberta Holder, Ronald Spall, Edward Kleinsorgen, Barbara Moldofsky.

MATH CLUB

The Mathematics Club was organized to broaden the students' knowledge, to stimulate their interest, and to explore phases of mathematics not covered in class. Under the guidance of their faculty advisor, Miss Meyerson, the members construct string figures on cardboard, dip wire shapes in a soap solution to find new shapes, and make geometric decorations for Christmas.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The highest honor to which students at Arts High can attain is membership in the National Honor Society. Those students who excel in Scholarship, Leadership, Character, and Service are chosen by the faculty to represent our school in this nationwide organization. Members are inducted semi-annually. Our chapter is named in honor of our beloved former vice-principal, Miss M. Bernice Hamilton. The group is under the direction of Mr. Clamurro.

Front row, seated, left to right: Joel Melillo, Elaine Baunhuber, Roberta Holder, Front row, standing: Joseph Dorbin, Mr. Clamurro, Rosalie Klotz, Joan De Rosa, Vera Brown, Winifred Hearns, Andrew Yskamp, Barbara Moldofsky, Angela Carracino, Esta Plager. Second row, standing: Lance Andersen, Arthur Goetze, Kathy Karpinski, Joseph Manzi, Dennis Anniballi, Edward Kleinsorgen.

GIRLS GYM

Watch the little "birdie"!

"I lose more change this way," complains Bill Kaufman.

BOYS GYM

A "line up" of the gym leaders.

"Don't laugh until you try it, Buddy!" challenges Ken Schnall.

One day's meat is another day's croquette, which puts us all in quite a stew.

Our indispensable cafeteria staff, left to right: Wilhelmina Hodge, Agnes Hansen, Anna Flynn, Rose Varro, Rose Fisher, Anne King, and Eileen Knipping, cafeteria manager.

"Of course I wouldn't say anything about her unless I could say something good. And, oh boy, is this good . . ."

FOOD FOR BODY AND MIND

Edward Ebert, Joseph Dowling and Valentine Gordon stretch during a "rest" period.

Seems Mrs. Rutledge and Judy Bator are having a "weighty" discussion.

Standing in our might.

ASSEMBLY

To the roll of drums.

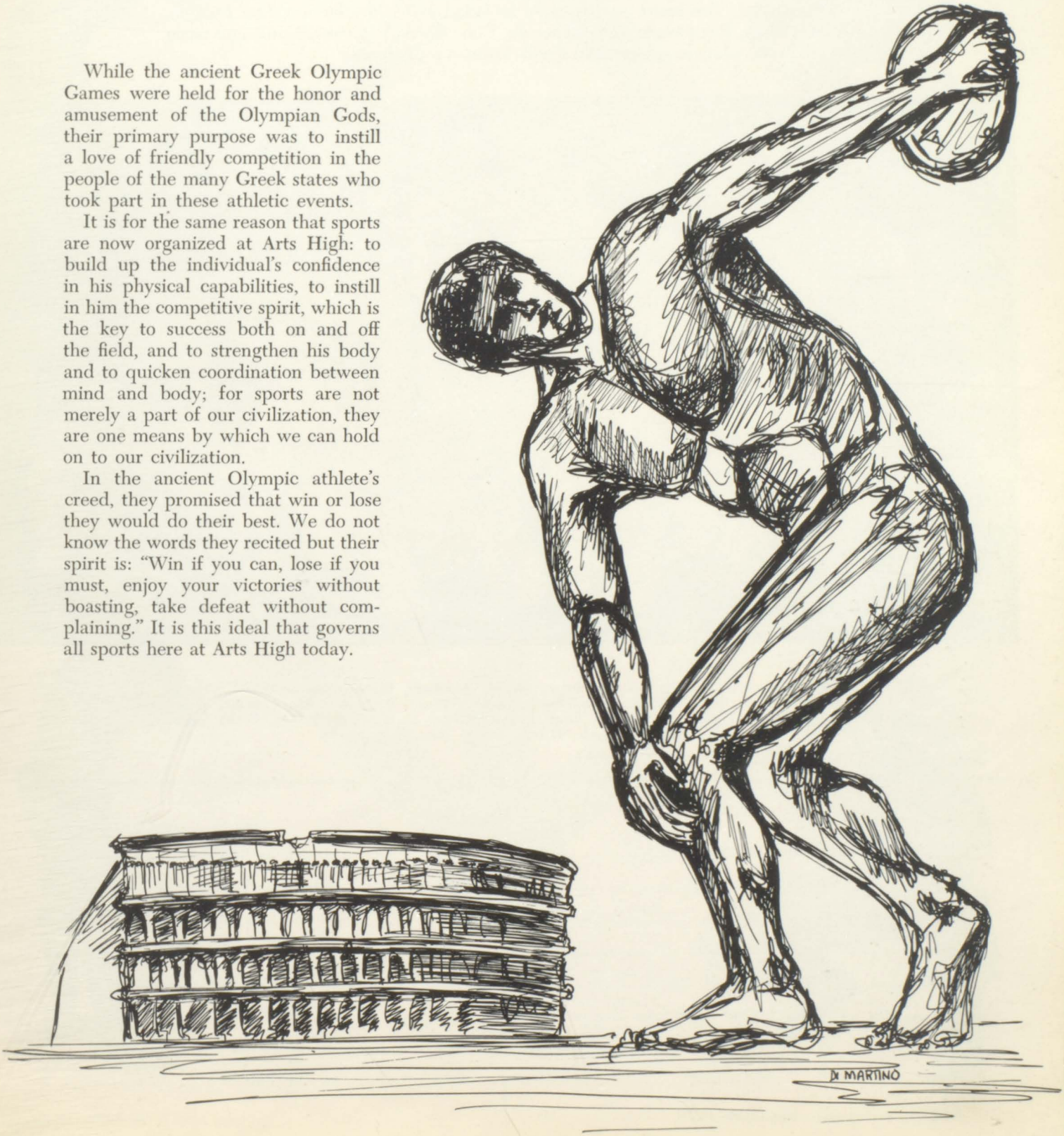
Dr. Seamster begins the assembly with a short speech.

ATHLETICS

While the ancient Greek Olympic Games were held for the honor and amusement of the Olympian Gods, their primary purpose was to instill a love of friendly competition in the people of the many Greek states who took part in these athletic events.

It is for the same reason that sports are now organized at Arts High: to build up the individual's confidence in his physical capabilities, to instill in him the competitive spirit, which is the key to success both on and off the field, and to strengthen his body and to quicken coordination between mind and body; for sports are not merely a part of our civilization, they are one means by which we can hold on to our civilization.

In the ancient Olympic athlete's creed, they promised that win or lose they would do their best. We do not know the words they recited but their spirit is: "Win if you can, lose if you must, enjoy your victories without boasting, take defeat without complaining." It is this ideal that governs all sports here at Arts High today.



BASEBALL TEAM

The Artie Baseball Squad has finished the best season that the school has ever known. With a final tally of thirteen wins and four defeats, the "Bat-Boys" also gained recognition by having pitcher Ray Geiser chosen for the All-State Team. Ray, captain and spark of the team, pitched the Green and Gray to victory, chalked up two shut-outs, and was the leading hitter on the team with a .400 average. The entire varsity team included Mike Melchionno, Lou Fallone, Chet Colton, Ray Geiser, Sisto Caponera, Gene Black, Vincent Liaguno and Gene Wichowski, who are seniors, and Frank Votto, a sophomore.

Front row, left to right: Bob Calabrese, Dennis Anniballi, Blaine Chambers, Bob Cotugo, Arthur Saliceti, Joe Cocuzza, Arnold Nash, Louis Venturi. Back row: Mr. Leonard Morris (coach), Mike Ferrara, John Delk, Louis Inzeo, William Lund, Roger Brown, Frank Votto, Ronald Venturi, Irving Zeidner, Mr. George Steisel (faculty manager).

SCHEDULE

Arts	6	Bloomfield	4
Arts	4	Newark Tech	0
Arts	0	Edison	0
Arts	0	St. Benedict's	3
Arts	0	St. Cecilia's	1
Arts	0	Irvington Tech	3
Arts	8	Bloomfield Tech	0
Arts	8	Good Counsel	0
Arts	2	Irvington Tech	0
Arts	4	St. Michael's	2
Arts	6	Newark Tech	0
Arts	5	St. Patrick's	0
Arts	0	Clifford Scott	0
Arts	13	St. Cecilia's	1
Arts	1	South Side	4
Arts	5	Harrison	2
Arts	11	St. Patrick's	2

(Left) Roger Brown gets set for the pitch.
(Right) Frank Votto stands ready.

John Delk waiting for a good one.

Lou Inzeo gets ready for the peg to second.

TRACK TEAM

Front row, left to right: Allan Howard, Neil Carangelo, Leonard Ludovico, Ben Dunn, Bruce Hymack, Cary Pittman. Back row: Robert McCracken, Clyde Kuemmerle, Ronny Albert, Robert James, Isaiah Cooper, John Fudge, Ronald Seeley, Mr. Robert Criswell (coach).

Ronny Albert putts the shot.

Isaiah Cooper, John Fudge and Ronald Seeley race toward the finish line.

TRIANGULAR MEETS

Arts	22½	Barringer	97	Central	23½
Arts	42	East Side	31⅔	Central	69⅓
Arts	22½	Weequahic	52½	West Side	67
Arts	59	East Side	58	South Side	0

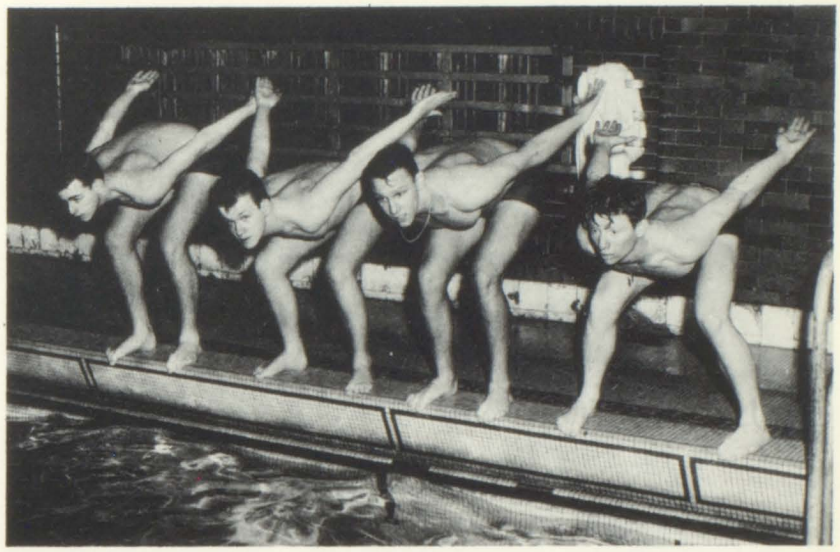
The Arts High Track Team had only four regularly scheduled triangular meets this season and won with two second places, and two thirds. Our small squad of speedsters made quite a name for themselves, though, when they entered the tough Board of Education Meet and came out in a tie for fourteenth place in the twenty-four team competition. Our track squad also took three medals in the seven-team City Meet, where Lonnie Gilchrist, Nelson Martin, and Willy Mayes scored victories. The other members of the team were: Captain Neutie Fudge, John Brenner, Walter Frazier, Lester Miler, Robert Gillard, and Eddie Johnson.

Cary Pittman and Bob James go up and over.

SWIMMING TEAM

In the City Meet in March the Arts High Swimming Team followed West Side and Weequahic in scoring to take the third place position in the city.

In this meet seven of the Green and Grey Splashers won medals: the Medley Relay Team of Richard Bates, Richard Hilser, John Paul, and Mike Ferrara took third place medals: Richard Hilser won second place medal in the 200-yard freestyle; Jay Serco, second place medal in the 100-yard backstroke; and Richard Bates, third place medal in the individual medley.



Richard Hilser calls the signals for starters Andy Di Martino, John Paul, and Co-Captain Richard Bates.

First row, left to right: Sheldon Sanders, Neil Travisano, Preston Barham, Gene Geltzeiler, Mike Ferrara. Second row: Mario Abate, Jay Serco, Fred Travisano, Joe Dorbin. Third row: Andrew Di Martino, Nick Hyczko, John Paul, Donald Mazzella, Richard Hilser, Richard Bates, and Mr. Criswell.

Mr. Criswell beams as Co-Captains Richard Bates and Richard Hilser congratulate each other after winning medals.

SCORES

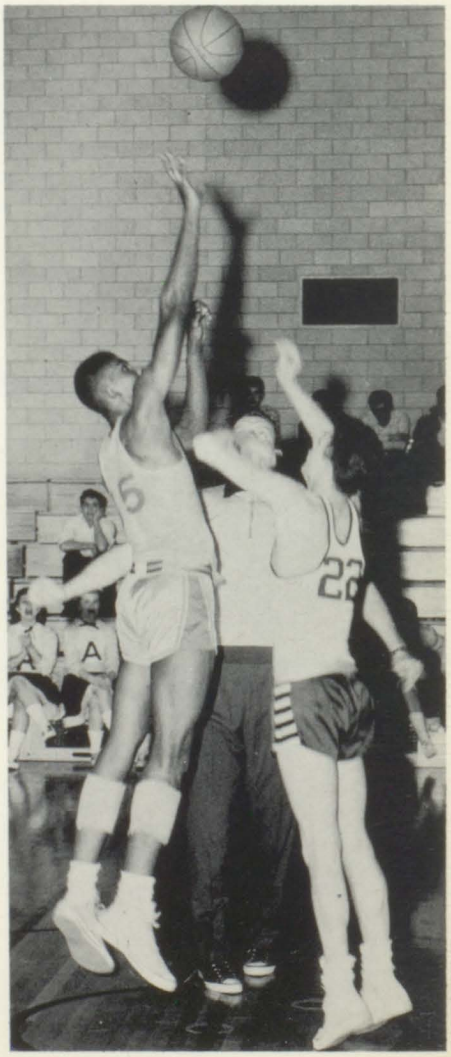
Arts	19	West Side	46
Arts	34	Central	23
Arts	45	South Side	18
Arts	21	Weequahic	47
Arts	35	East Side	34
Arts	18	West Side	46
Arts	35	Central	33
Arts	42	South Side	25
Arts	18	Weequahic	50
Arts	31	East Side	37

BASKETBALL

Frank Votto sails high and snares a rebound as Louis Inzeo darts around the side and Robert James smiles approval.

The Artie Basketball Team has had an impressive season, breaking the win and loss record that has stood for seven years, and having one of its players, Eugene Black, chosen for the All-City Team. Eugene then graduated! But team captains Lou Inzeo and Bob James have led the Arties in a very hot scoring streak, with Bob James the leading scorer, Ron Sommerhalter, second highest, and Lou Inzeo a close third. The Artie team has a good chance to have another record-breaking season next year, as only Lou Inzeo is graduating, and the remaining first-string team of Robert James, Ron Sommerhalter, Frank Votto, Roger Brown, Ron Venturi, and Sal Cerruto, will again be treading the courts for the Green and Gray.

First row, kneeling, left to right: Ronnie Venturi, Frank Votto, Lou Inzeo, Bill Caruso. Second row, standing: Sal Cerruto, Ron Sommerhalter, Dave Beach, Bob James, Roger Brown, Mr. Voller.



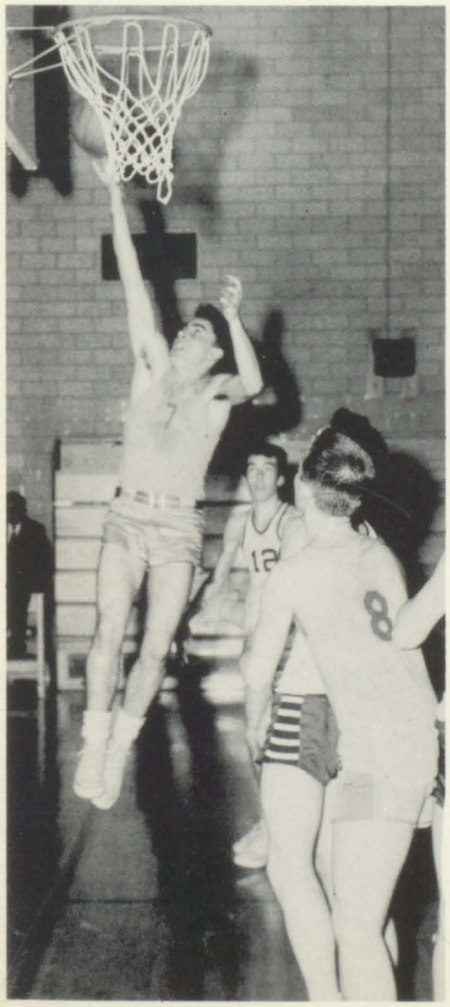
Bob James swarms over the referee to tap the toss-up as Frank Votto and Ronald Sommerhalter look on.

TEAM

SCORES

Arts	54	St. Patrick's	33
Arts	66	Irvington Tech	49
Arts	58	St. James	53
Arts	51	Harrison	33
Arts	69	Bergen Tech	56
Arts	49	Glen Ridge	72
Arts	60	Newark Tech	51
Arts	41	Bloomfield Tech	46
Arts	43	Edison Tech	38
Arts	58	Harrison	41
Arts	53	Bergen Tech	37
Arts	39	Clifford Scott	53
Arts	54	St. James	56
Arts	43	Good Council	40
Arts	48	Newark Tech	57
Arts	60	Irvington Tech	55
Arts	41	Bloomfield Tech	68
Arts	65	St. Patrick's	42

"Don't look at the camera, boys," says Coach Voller. "Act as if you're listening to me!"



Louis Inzeo drives in for a layup while Robert James indicates his approval from the background.

First row, left to right: Betty Hutson, Barbara Green, Captain Cecilia Knof (kneeling), Gail Lustig, Mary Crews. Second row, standing: Bettie Kimbro, Angela Carracino, Vicki Ensor, Judy Brown.

VIGNETTE STAFF

Left, clockwise: Trina Guardi, Ann Pitts, Carole McCoy, Miss Ruth Abos (literary advisor), Richard Hilser, Joseph Manzi, Elizabeth Nessler, Janice Janoski, Elaine Baunhuber, Patricia Balvage, Gloria Fudge.

After everything is finished, the endless work, the tedious corrections and revisions, the hours of thought and the seconds of inspiration, after all of these we may finally look back and say (somewhat exhaustedly, yet happily), "We've done our best . . . our very best."

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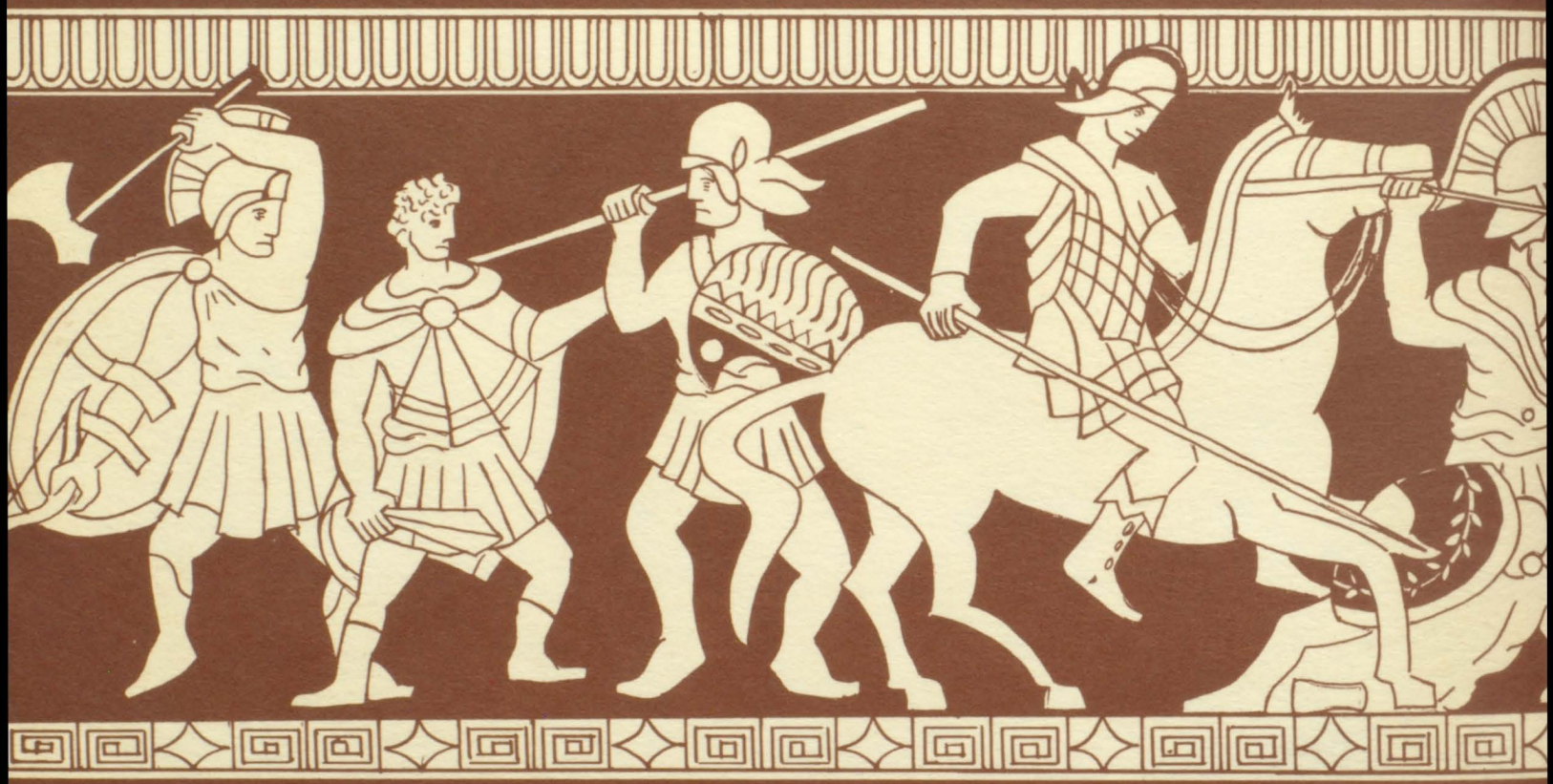
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